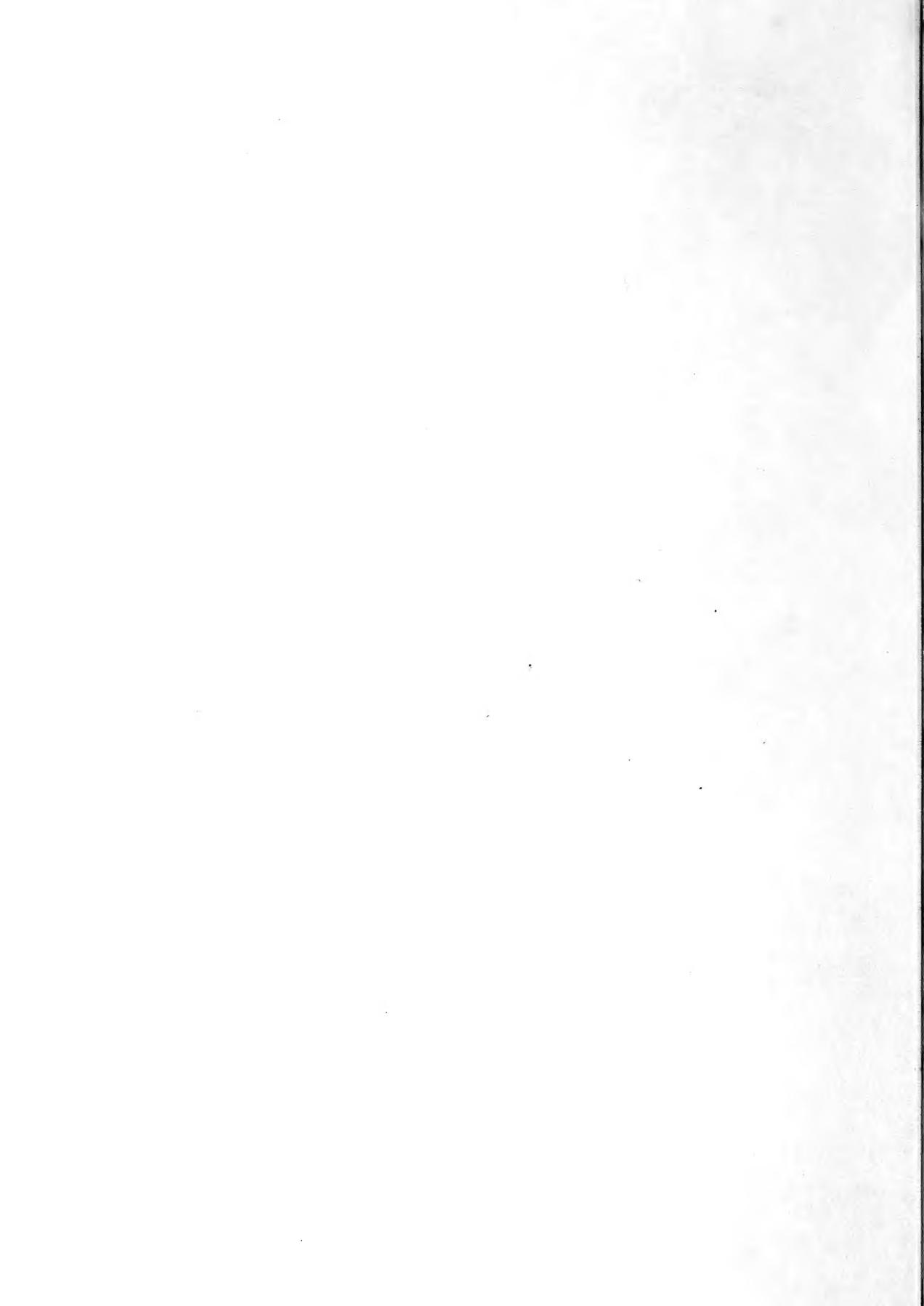


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OF ROSES

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THE WOMAN FLORIST

SPRINGFIELD,

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Please Write the Addresses of a Few of Your Friends Who Buy Plants, That I May Send Them My Catalogue.

# "IMPERIAL" SET OF ROSES

SEE FIRST COVER PAGE FOR THESE "IMPERIAL" ROSES IN COLORS.

Price of These "Imperial" Roses, 30 Cents Each, or the Three for 75 Cents; Two-Year-Old Plants, 60 Cents Each, the Three for \$1.50.

**MADAME RAVARY**—It is probable that more of this yellow Rose is planted in England, Ireland and the continent than all other yellows combined. In habit and growth it is much like Madame Caroline Testout. The buds are long and pointed, of a beautiful golden-yellow, opening into enormous flowers of orange-yellow, the edge of petals shading lighter, making a combination of color that is irresistible. Extra grand.

**KAISER WILHELM II**—Growth vigorous and upright. Flowers large and very full. Buds elongated, always opening well. Color the richest shade of velvety crimson, almost black. An excellent garden Rose.

**MY MARYLAND**—An American Rose that has jumped into popular favor at once, sweeping the decks of both Europe and America clean. Color glowing, intense pink; large, full and of fine form. The freest Rose in growth and bloom that we know. This is a wonderfully fine Rose for the garden. Always produces fine buds and flowers and always in bloom.

## Garden Collection of Hardy Phlox

SEE OPPOSITE PAGE FOR THESE HARDY PHLOX IN COLORS.

Price, 10 Cents Each, or the Seven Varieties for 50 Cents.

No. 1—COQUELICOT—Bright scarlet.  
No. 2—R. P. STRUTHERS—Cherry-red.  
No. 3—ECLAIREUR—Rosy-magenta.

No. 4—ALCESTE—Violet-blue.  
No. 5—PANTHEON—Clear pink.  
No. 6—BRIDESMAID—White, red eye.  
No. 7—INDEPENDENCE—Pure white.

## BAINES BEDDING ROSES

FOR THESE ROSES IN COLORS, SEE THIRD PAGE OF COVER.

Price, 15 Cents Each, or the Six Baines Bedding Roses for 75 Cents.

**No. 1** **WHITE MAMAN COCHET**—A sport from Maman Cochet with creamy-white flowers, faintly tinged with blush; long pointed bud opening to large flowers; an exceedingly pretty and valuable variety that can be highly recommended.

**No. 2** **MADAME SEGOND WEBER**—One of the grandest novelties of recent years; everybody is talking about it, and the more one knows of this wonderful Rose the more he will talk about it, and, what is of real value, every bit of talk about Mme. Segond Weber is in praise of her. Rosy-salmon or flesh-pink in color, of the general type and color of "My Maryland." The bud is long and pointed, opening into enormous blooms which deepen its color until fully expanded, when it is as impressive as an "American Beauty." The texture of the Rose is very thick and heavy and the form of the petals peculiarly beautiful. A great garden Rose; awarded two gold medals.

**No. 3** **RADIANCE**—A new American Rose; there are none better. A brilliant rosy-carmine, displaying beautiful rich and opaline-pink tints in the open flower. The form is fine, largest size and full, with cupped petals. It blooms constantly and is delightfully fragrant. This is, next to President Taft, the strongest growing of all H. T. Roses. Simply grand; superb.

**No. 4** **SENATEUR MASCURAND**—This is my pick of all the yellow Hybrid Tea Roses; it is a good grower, very free bloomer; flowers are large, full and globular; color deep orange-yellow, lighter on the edge of the petals. This is a much better garden Rose than Mrs. Aaron Ward. When I say orange-yellow I do not mean lemon-yellow; it is the yellowest of all Roses.

**No. 5** **LAURENT CARLE**—An extremely vigorous grower, with fine erect branching habit and fine dark-green foliage; long buds are borne on long stems, opening into large flowers of perfect form, just full enough to open freely, color brilliant velvety-carmine. A very promising variety; another Rose it will certainly pay you to try. I know it has a future.

**No. 6** **PRESIDENT TAFT**—This Rose was raised in Cincinnati, the home of President Taft, and let me say right here, while some of you may not admire the President himself, you will, one and all, admire the Rose given his name. It is without question the most remarkable of all pink Roses. It has a shining, intense, deep pink color possessed by no other Rose. It is a fine grower, free bloomer, good size and form, fragrant, and in a class by itself as to color. Mr. Frank Good, who is probably familiar with more Roses than any man in America, says: "Talk all you want to about the Rose President Taft, and then you will not say enough." Do not confound this Rose with Leuchtfreuer, which some have attempted to rename President Taft.

## Great Giant Garden Dahlias

FOR THESE DAHLIAS IN COLORS, SEE FOURTH PAGE OF COVER.

**No. 1** **MRS. ROOSEVELT**—One of the giant flowered type, delicate light pink shading to soft rose towards the center. An exceptionally large and elegantly formed flower measuring seven to eight inches across. Greatly admired by all. An abundant bloomer. Many of the plants of this choice Dahlia do not make tubers like other Dahlias, but grow and flower from eyes on the stems. A wonder. Price, 40 cents each.

**No. 2** **MRS. CHARLES TURNER**—Bright canary-yellow. Flowers of immense size, often measuring from seven to nine inches in diameter. This surpasses anything for size in yellow Dahlias. Try it. Price, 20 cents.

**No. 3** **CUBAN GIANT**—Flowers of great size, measuring six inches across. Color dark, glowing crimson, shaded maroon. Magnificent. Price, 25 cents.

**No. 4** **SOUVENIR DE GUSTAVE DOAZON**—The largest Dahlia up to date. Can you imagine a Dahlia nine and one-half inches across? Simply a monster, still it is not coarse, but has such elegant refinement that it impresses every lover of flowers with its grace, beauty and charming elegance, and never fails to make friends. These immense flowers are borne in profusion from the earliest moment of blooming until the very last; it improves with the season and grows more perfect; color a rich orange-red. Price, 30 cents each.

**No. 5** **CATHERINE DUER**—(The Newport Dahlia.) Cherry-scarlet overlaid with crimson. Darker at the center. Its iridescence is unique and very striking, winning much favor as a cut flower variety. The fashionable flower at Newport. Especially good under artificial light. Price, 20 cents each.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—The entire set of five Great Giant Garden Dahlias, costing \$1.35, for only \$1.00. A great bargain.

# GREETING



I feel sure that it will interest my friends and customers to know that my trade for 1912 was far in excess of any previous year. It took close to one million Roses to fill the orders you sent me; also two hundred thousand "Mums," one hundred thousand Carnations, sixty-five thousand Ferns, twenty acres of Peonies, fifteen acres of Dahlias, ten acres of Phlox, five acres of Gladioli, six acres of Iris were some of the prominent items grown for my trade, until today my retail catalogue plant and bulb trade is by far the largest in the United States.

I have always made claim that the firm that sent honest goods at fair prices was bound to win. If keeping everlastingly at it will bring success, then I will get there. To those who have never tried me with an order, better give me at least a share of your needs.

Again thanking you for past favors and trusting you will speak a good word for my Plants, Roses, etc., to your friends and neighbors,

Your flower loving friend

MISS ELLA V. BAINES, The Woman Florist,  
SPRINGFIELD, OHIO.

## READ THIS OFFER

Patrons often complain of the heavy express charges. Now I propose to pay all expressage, when the order amounts to \$3.00 or more, to any point in the United States where there is an Express Office. Of course it will cost me lots of money, but it will be to the advantage of my patrons. You will have your plants laid down FREE at your door, the same as if the greenhouse was in your town or village. You will also observe my prices are low. No better stock offered in the country. Please call the attention of your neighbors and friends to my liberal offers, and get them to send their orders to me. My plants, etc., are sure to please.

## Get Up Club Orders Among Your Friends, and Secure Your Own Plants FREE

### CLUBBING RATES Do not include Collections or Special Offers in making up your Discounts, as it only applies to Price per single Plant or Bulb.

Any person sending me \$1.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from catalogue to value of 10 cents extra.  
Any person sending me \$2.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from catalogue to value of 30 cents extra.  
Any person sending me \$3.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from catalogue to value of 50 cents extra.  
Any person sending me \$4.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from catalogue to value of 75 cents extra.  
Any person sending me \$5.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from catalogue to value of \$1.00 extra.

### CLUBBING RATES: Individual Orders Allowed the Same Discounts as Club Orders

REMEMBER, that the premium or discount must be selected and sent with your order. I cannot send them at separate times unless you add 10 cents to each order for postage or express.

## My List of Fifty-Cent Bargain Sets

|  | Price. |
|--|--------|
| Set 1—Nine ever-blooming Roses, nine distinct colors...  | 50c    |
| Set 2—Eight Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses, eight colors   | 50c    |
| Set 3—Six new and rare Roses, all distinct.....  | 50c    |
| Set 4—Three two-year-old Roses, all distinct.....  | 50c    |
| Set 5—Three ever-blooming, one Polyantha, one Climbing, one Moss and one Hybrid Perpetual Rose, all fine plants..... | 50c    |
| Set 6—Six beautiful Roses, for winter blooming in the house .....  | 50c    |
| Set 7—Five elegant Roses, suitable for cemetery planting   | 50c    |
| Set 8—Eight prize-winning Chrysanthemums, all different  | 50c    |
| Set 9—Four Dahlias, all different colors.....  | 50c    |
| Set 10—Three Peonies, Red, White and Pink.....   | 50c    |
| Set 11—Seven lovely Fuchsias, each one a beauty.....   | 50c    |
| Set 12—Six elegant flowering Geraniums, all colors.....  | 50c    |
| Set 13—Seven choice flowering hardy Phlox.....   | 50c    |
| Set 15—Twelve magnificent Coleus of brightest colors.....  | 50c    |
| Set 16—Eight lovely flowering Begonias; grand collection .....   | 50c    |
| Set 17—Fifteen pips of the exquisite Lily of the Valley.....   | 50c    |
| Set 18—Twelve Vines and Plants, suitable for vases and baskets .....   | 50c    |
| Set 19—Five choice decorative Palms; elegant collection .....  | 50c    |

NO TWO ALIKE IN THESE SETS. DO NOT INCLUDE THESE SETS IN YOUR ORDER WHEN YOU SELECT CLUBBING RATES; THEY ARE NET

|  | Price. |
|--|--------|
| Set 20—Five new dwarf ever-blooming French Cannas; a great bargain.....  | 50c    |
| Set 21—Seven fragrant monthly Carnation Pinks, all colors .....  | 50c    |
| Set 22—Eight choice Hibiscus, with their immense gorgeous colored flowers.....   | 50c    |
| Set 23—Six fine hardy Shrubs, all entirely hardy and a splendid selection.....   | 50c    |
| Set 24—Ten assorted flowering plants, for pot culture..  | 50c    |
| Set 25—Fifteen choicest, large-flowered Pansy plants; will make a fine display.....  | 50c    |
| Set 26—Fifteen Pearl Tuberose Bulbs, bearing the most fragrant of flowers.....   | 50c    |
| Set 27—Twenty-four beautiful flowering Gladiolus bulbs.  | 50c    |
| Set 28—Twelve popular varieties of Flower Seeds. Quite a number of my customers plant only Roses and other plants in their gardens, and neglect to use any flower seed. To induce every one to plant at least a few, I make the above liberal offer of twelve varieties, embracing one packet of each..... | 50c    |

## Remember

I pay the postage on all orders, and express charges when the order amounts to \$3.00 or over, to any express office in the United States. Get your friends to join with you and make your order \$3.00 or over.

# BAINES' SURE and QUICK BLOOMING ROSES

Baines' Sure and Quick Blooming Roses guaranteed to bloom the first year, price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents; ten for \$1.00; the entire sixty-eight for \$5.50 net. Two-year-old plants, 35 cents each; three for \$1.00; six for \$1.75; twelve for \$3.25; the entire sixty-eight for \$14.00 net.

The only way to keep Baines' Sure and Quick Blooming Roses from flowering is to pick off the buds.

**Antoine Rivoire**—Creamy-white with rainbow tints; grand.

**Aurora**—Bright pink, very double and sweet; fine garden Rose.

**Bessie Brown**—Pure white, faintly flushed cream and pink.

**Blumenschmidt**—Citron-yellow, bordered with pink.

**Bridesmaid**—A grand pink Rose; hard to beat.

**Burbank**—Bright, deep rose; a grand bedder.

**Champion of the World**—Rich, deep rosy-pink in clusters.

**Clothilde Soupert**—Pink center, bordered white, beautiful.

**Devoniensis**—Creamy-white, delightful magnolia fragrance.

**Duchess de Brabant**—Bright salmon-pink; extra fine.

**Duchess of Albany**—A glorified La France; superb.

**Etoile de France**—A grand, deep, velvety crimson Rose.

**Etoile de Lyon**—Deep golden-yellow; very double.

**Florence Pemberton**—Clear lively pink, edged lighter.

**Francis Dubreuil**—Deep, vivid crimson; a delightful Rose.

**Freiher Von Marschall**—A grand, large red Rose.

**Friedrichsruhe**—Color deep blood-red, large and full.

**General MacArthur**—A superb rich red Rose; new.

**General Robt. E. Lee**—Orange-yellow shaded white; free.

**Golden Gate**—White, beautifully tinged pink.

**Gruss an Teplitz**—Brightest red of all Roses; dazzling.

**Helen Good**—Yellow suffused pink; a great beauty.

**Helen Gould**—The finest of all red Roses; superb.

**Hermosa**—Beautiful pink flowers in profusion; an old favorite.

**Kaisserin Augusta Victoria**—Pure white, hardy, extra fine.

**Killarny**—Said by many to be the finest pink Rose.

**Lady Battersea**—Long, pointed buds of richest red.

**Lady Mary Corry**—Deep golden-yellow, with apricot shades.

**La France**—The greatest of all bright pink Roses.

**Laurent Carle**—Brilliant velvety carmine; extra.

**Louis Philippe**—Dark crimson-maroon; free.

**Lucullus**—Beautiful crimson scarlet; an old favorite.



**Madame Camille**—Remarkable shade of salmon.

**Madame Caroline Testout**—Grand, bright pink; extra large.

**Madame Constant Soupert**—Yellow tinted red; grand.

**Madame Lombard**—Rosy-red shaded lighter; extra fine.

**Madame Melanie Soupert**—Yellow suffused pink; a beauty.

**Madame Schwaller**—Deep, bright pink, deliciously fragrant.

**Madame Welche**—Color amber-yellow and crimson-rose.

**Mlle. Cecil Berthod**—Deep rich golden-yellow.

**Mlle. F. Kruger**—Deep coppery-yellow.

**Mlle. Helene Gambier**—Orange-yellow, changing to white.

**Maman Cochet**—The grandest of all pink Roses; extra large.

**Marie Van Houtte**—Straw-yellow, flushed with crimson.

**Meteor**—A grand, rich, dark red Rose; extra fine.

**Mrs. B. R. Cant**—Bright carmine; a glorious Rose.

**Marie Guillot**—The old standby for a pure white Rose; extra with long, pointed bud.

**Perle des Jardins**—Clear golden-yellow; very rich.

**Perle von Godesburg**—Pure white with yellow center.

**Pierre Guillot**—Enormous rich crimson blooms; none finer.

**Queen's Scarlet**—Richest scarlet, hardy bedder.

**Rhea Reid**—Deepest rich crimson; fine bedding Rose.

**Rosomane Gravereaux**—Bright pink overlaid with white.

**Safraño**—A fine old Rose with saffron shades.

**Snowflake**—Pure white, a most profuse bloomer.

**Souv. de La Malmaison**—Creamy flesh, rose center.

**Souv. de Pierre Notting**—Orange yellow, bordered carmine.

**Souv. de Pres. Carnot**—Lovely shades of fawn; extra fine.

**The Bride**—Pure white, bordered with pink.

**The Queen**—Immaculate white without tint.

**Triumph de Pernet Pere**—Magenta-red, distinct and desirable.

**Viscountess Folkestone**—Pure white, faintly tinted fawn.

**White Bougere**—Pure white, a grand bedder.

**White La France**—Pure white with shadings of fawn.

**White Maman Cochet**—Pure white bordered pink; extra large.

**William R. Smith**—A beautiful maiden blush pink; extra large.

**Yellow Maman Cochet**—Golden-yellow, flushed with crimson.

I have so much confidence in my Sure and Quick Blooming Roses that I am going to make it absolutely safe for you to buy your Roses of me. I guarantee the Roses on this page to bloom the first season or I will refund the money to you for plants that fail to bloom. All I ask of you is to properly plant and care for them. If any fail to bloom by Oct. 15, 1913, and you notify me at once I will refund the amount. Of course I will have to rely on your honesty in the matter of planting and caring for them. These Baines' Sure and Quick Blooming Roses have been especially grown to bloom at once. So many persons will not wait for the average Rose to bloom that I have decided to grow Roses that will bloom at once; here they are and you are getting full value for your money. You make no mistake in ordering them. Give them a trial.

Faithfully yours,  
MISS ELLA V. BAINES,  
The Woman Florist.

Little Rock, Ark., April 8, 1912.  
Miss Baines:  
I'm tickled to death with my Roses. I did not lose one. My Climbing Meteor and Climbing Kaiserin went higher than the porch. They bloomed until frost came on November 11th.

MRS. R. C. HALL.

Magnolia, Del., May 17, 1912.  
Miss Baines:  
The Roses and other plants you sent came as fresh as if just taken out. In twenty-three years I have been buying Roses I never got as fine plants.

MRS. T. A. MCILVAINE.

San Francisco, Cal., October 4, 1912.

Miss Baines:  
I am sending for forty-five Roses. I bought Roses from you four months ago. I live right near the ocean, and the ground is nothing but sand. I was surprised to see them all grow.

JAS. J. NEEDHAM.

REMEMBER, the Roses on this page are grown Especially for Sure and Quick Blooming.

# THE FIFTEEN BEST NEW ROSES

After comparing all of the new Roses that I have tested the past two years (over two hundred varieties) from all parts of the globe. I have picked the following fifteen sorts as the very best. Any of them will enrich your collection.

**EDWARD MAWLEY**—Raiser's description: "By its marvelous outstanding qualities, is now generally regarded by rosarians as the greatest advance and most wonderful Rose yet raised. We have no hesitation in stating that it is the finest of all dark-crimson Roses, a true perpetual flowering Hybrid Tea, and the most beautiful variety the Rose world has yet seen. Gold Medal, National Rose Society. The grand novelty of Messrs. McGredy & Sons, they have very aptly named Edward Mawley, in honor of one of the best-beloved of British rosarians. It is an enormous, big-petaled Rose, much larger than Melanie Soupert, a Rose it resembles in form, but of the beautiful rich color of a Louis Van Houtte, only with a more velvety shading upon the inside of its petals. This Rose could not fail to receive the coveted gold medal of the National Rose Society." Price, 35 cents each; two-year-old, 75 cents each.

**FARBENKOENIGIN**—This is well named the Queen of Colors; my own personal opinion is that there is no finer Rose grown than this beautiful sort. It is large and full; color bright carmine and rosy-crimson, overlaid with a satiny silver sheen. Very floriferous. Simply grand. Price, 25 cents each.

**HERZOGIN MARIE ANTOINETTE**—Very long buds of pure orange or old gold; very large flower of perfect form. Soupert & Notting, of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, says: "This is the finest yellow of all yellow Roses." Gold medal, M. Gladbach; certificate of merit of the German Nurserymen's Society; also prizes of honor at Leipsic, Sangerhausen and Zweibrucken. Price, 25 cents each.

**JONKHEER J. L. MOCK**—This grand Rose is the strongest growing in the Hybrid Tea class. The blooms, which are produced with the greatest freedom, are carried on stiff and erect stems, and are of the largest size, of perfect formation and highly perfumed. Color clear imperial-pink; a glorious flower. Awarded two gold medals, one silver medal and five first prizes in Europe. I can confidently recommend this sterling novelty as a most valuable addition. Price, 25 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents each.

**KILLARNEY QUEEN**—A cerise-pink sport of Killarney that for clearness and brightness of color has not been equalled; exceptionally strong in growth, with foliage that is perfect, being larger than Killarney and more glossy. In size of petals Killarney Queen is larger than its parent, and for high-grade bloom it is a very superior variety. Forces fine. Price, 25 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents each.

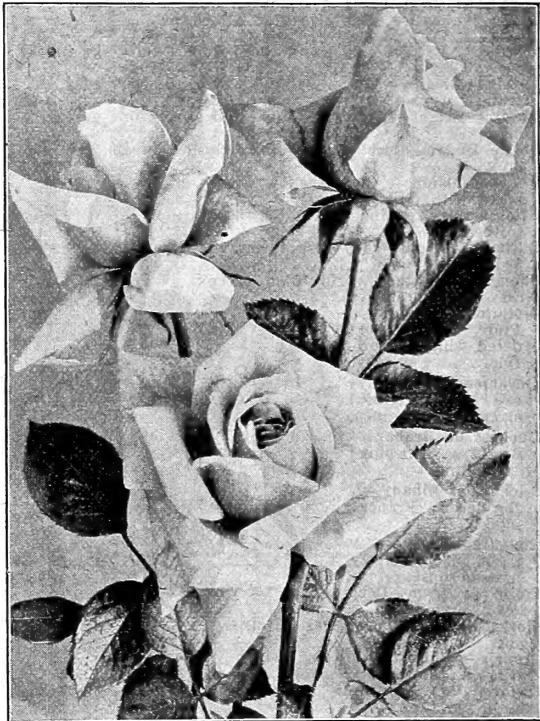
**LADY ALICE STANLEY**—This, I predict, will become very popular as a garden Rose. The petals are shell-shaped, forming a perfect flower; the color on outside of petals is a deep coral-rose; inside, delicate flesh, often flushed and suffused with bright flesh. Remarkably attractive, without doubt; a magnificent Rose. Awarded gold medal. Price, 25 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents each.

**LIEUTENANT CHAURE**—Bud long and pointed; color velvety-crimson, opening to large flowers of crimson-red, shaded garnet; flowers of great depth and nicely cupped form; flowers very freely produced and deliciously fragrant. In every way a grand Rose. Price, 25 cents each.

**MARY COUNTESS OF ILCHESTER**—In the opinion of many expert rosarians this must be classed as one of the finest novelties. Mr. Roger Murphy, who has worked with Roses for the past forty years, says: "This Rose has come to stay. After trying out all the novelties of the past five years, I place the Countess Mary first." The color is unique and distinct, being a warm crimson-carmine, a shade difficult to describe; of great size, with large, smooth, circular petals, deliciously scented. Simply grand. Price, 25 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents each.

**MANUEL P. AZEVEDO**—The introducers say: "A splendid large double, upright flower of an ideal form. Color flesh cerise-red, with waxlike petals. This first-class novelty has the hardiness and splendid form of Ulrich Brunner and is as free-blooming as Etoile de France, one of the first and finest blooming in the Rose garden. A new, rare and invariable color; sweetly perfumed." Mr. Frank Good, the eminent rosarian, says: "This Rose has come to stay; it has already made for itself a place that is secure." Price, 35 cents each.

**MELODY**—A most charming and decidedly beautiful Rose, which attracted the attention of all visitors to my Rose gardens during the past summer because of its marvelous free-blooming qualities. The blooms are of good size; the color is an intense, pure, deep saffron-yellow, with primrose edges, a delightful color harmony. A Rose of the highest merits. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old, 40 cents each.



Barbenkoenigin, or Queen of Colors.

**MISS CYNTHIA FORD**—This Rose possesses in a superlative degree the essential point of an ideal garden Rose, viz., form, brightness, vigor and habit. In color it is a deep brilliant rose-pink, very large, perfectly formed and very full. It is sweetly perfumed and lasts a long time in good condition. Gold medal, National Rose Society. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old, 40 cents each.

**MRS. CHARLES CUSTIS HARRISON**—Is a Rose of great beauty and distinctness. The flowers are produced in wonderful profusion; the blooms are large, full and of globular form; the petals smooth, circular and of great substance; color deep crimson-pink on front of petals, crayoned deep crimson-carmine on the reverse side, a warm color that lights up well when held in varied positions of light; very highly perfumed. Price, 25 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents each.

**MRS. EDWARD J. HOLLAND**—The color is a beautiful deep salmon-rose, shaded lighter towards the edges; perfect in both shape and form, with an unusually high pointed center. The petals are of great substance and beautifully arranged, forming a model flower of exquisite beauty, because of the marvellous freedom with which it produces its blooms throughout the whole season. Will prove one of the finest and most striking garden Roses yet produced. Price, 25 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents each.

**PHARISAER**—This is a great Rose, but has not been offered to any extent in this country. There is never a Rose exhibition in England that this Rose does not have to be taken into account. The color is a rosy-white, shaded salmon; large, full and well formed; very free blooming. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old, 40 cents each.

**SUNBURST**—This magnificent giant yellow Rose is a fine forerunner; it stands head and shoulders above all others of its color and will rank with American Beauty and the Killarnets in value and grandeur. It has long, pointed buds, which can be cut tight for market. The color is orange-copper or golden-orange and golden-yellow; edge of petals lighter; all intense shades, extremely brilliant in effect. Belongs in the class of big Roses; has created a sensation wherever shown. Price, 35 cents each; two-year-old, 75 cents each.

**Special Offer** The Fifteen Best New Roses, costing \$3.90, sent for a remittance of \$3.00. In Two-Year Plants, the 11 as named, costing \$5.70, sent for a remittance of \$4.75.

# EVER-BLOOMING ROSES--Newer Varieties



I have not space to give extended description of these new varieties of Roses. They come from the noted rosarians all over the world, including England, Ireland, France, Germany, Luxemburg, Holland and the United States. These Roses, including the ones named on page 4, show the advancement made in the past two or three years in this popular flower.

Richmond, Va., November 2, 1912.

The Rose bushes you sent me last spring have grown splendidly, and although I bought the small ones, they are now quite large bushes. Have bloomed all summer and are now full of buds; and what seemed remarkable to me, the buds and Roses are as large as those grown on two-year-old plants. I expect to order quite a number of Roses from you next spring.

MRS. W. S. BRADLEY.

**Alexander Hill Gray**—Elegant pure yellow. Price, 35 cents.  
**Althea**—Opaque salmon-pink; fine. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Andre Gamon**—Color deep rose and carmine. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Chateau des Clos Vougeat**—Velvety crimson-maroon. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Chin Chin China**—Clear sulphur-yellow. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Double Pink Killarney**—Beautiful Killarney-pink. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Double White Killarney**—More double than White Killarney. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Duchess of Wellington**—Saffron-yellow and crimson. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Edw Meyer**—Coppery-red and yellow. Price, 20 cents.

**Ethel Malcolm**—Ivory-white, passing to pure white. Price, 25 cents.

**Eugene Bouillet**—Color a rich ruby-red. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**F. R. Patzer**—Creamy-buff and warm pink. Price, 20c; two-year-old, 40c.

**Florence Edith Coulthwaite**—Deep cream and bright rose. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Gartendirektor Hartmann**—Satiny-flesh; large and fine. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Goldelse**—Pale yellow, deeper yellow center. Price, 20c.

**Grossherzog Friedrich**—Rosy- vermilion, overlaid yellow. Price, 35 cents; two-year-old, 75 cents.

**Hugo Roller**—Rich lemon-yellow; extra. Price, 25c.

**Jacques Vincent**—Clear coral-red with tints of yellow. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**James Cosy**—Deep golden-yellow, edged white. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Johanna Sebus**—Color brilliant rosy-cerise. Price, 20c; two-year-old, 40c.

**Lady Ashtown**—Deep rose, shading to silvery-pink. Price, 25 cents.

**Lady Quartus Ewart**—A pure paper-white garden Rose. Price, 25 cents.

**Lady Roberts**—Rich, deep apricot; gold medal Rose. 20c; two-year-old, 40c.

**Lady Hillingdon**—Rich deep orange-yellow. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**La Hollande**—Color almost white, rosy-yellow center. 20c.

**Mabel Drew**—Deep cream; center canary-yellow. Price, 35 cents; two-year-old, 75 cents.

**Madame Jules Bouche**—White, suffused salmon-pink. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Madame Joseph Combet**—Creamy-white; large and full. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Madame Leon Simon**—Dark rose with yellow center. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Madame Valere Beaumez**—Cream-yellow and orange; extra. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Madame P. Euler**—Vermilion-pink and silvery-pink. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Madison**—Pure snow-white, edged pink. Price, 30 cents; two-year-old, 60 cents.

**Marie Delasalle**—Color bright, deep cerise. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**May Kenyon Slaney**—Blush-pink on rich cream. Price, 25c. **Miss Alice de Rothschild**—Deep, rich golden-yellow. Price, 35 cents; two-year-old, 75 cents.

**Molly Sharman Crawford**—White as the driven snow. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Mrs. Aaron Ward**—Coppery-orange to golden-orange. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Mrs. Alfred Tate**—Coppery-red, shading to fawn. Price, 25c.

**Mrs. Amy Hammond**—A blend of ivory and amber. Price, 25c.

**Mrs. Arthur E. E. Coxhead**—Claret-red and vermilion. 25c.

**Mrs. Arthur Munt**—Suffused peach and deep cream. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Mrs. Arthur Robert Waddell**—Rosy-orange; extra fine. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Mrs. Cornwallis West**—Transparent, delicate pink. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Mrs. David Jardine**—Bright shade of rosy-pink. Price, 20c; two-year-old, 40c.

**Mrs. Foley Hobbs**—Delicate ivory-white, edged pink. 25c; two-year-old, 50c.

**Mrs. George Preston**—Warm, silvery-rose pink. 20c.

**Mrs. Herbert Stevens**—White, fawn center. Price, 25c.

**Mrs. Hubert Taylor**—Shell-pink; elegant. Price, 25c; two-year-old, 50c.

**Mrs. Joseph H. Welch**—Rich, brilliant rose-pink; gold medal. Price, 35 cents.

**Mrs. Potter Palmer**—Deepest apricot-pink. Price, 20c; two-year-old, 40c.

**Natalie Bottner**—Delicate creamy-yellow. Price, 25c.

**Nita Weldon**—Ivory-white, tinted blush. Price, 25c; two-year-old, 50c.

**Olivia**—A grand red bedding Rose. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Pollaert Rose**—An improved La France. Price, 20c.

**Prince Englebert Charles de Arenberg**—Brilliant, fiery-scarlet. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Paula**—Sulphur-yellow with ochre center. Price, 20c; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Queen Beatrice**—Fine bright pink. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Queen of Spain**—Delicate flesh, deeper center. Price, 20c; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Rene Marguerite d'Italie**—Bright carmine. Price, 20c.

**Rhea Reid**—Grand deep red garden Rose. 20c; two-year-old, 40c.

**Robin Hood**—Glorious scarlet color. 25c; two-year-old, 50c.

**Recuerdo de Antonio Peluffo**—Light diaphanous yellow. 35c.

**Robert Heller**—Deep golden-yellow. 25c; two-year-old, 50c.

**Souvenir De Gustave Prat**—Clear sulphur-yellow. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**Theresa**—Deep apricot-orange; extra. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Viscount Carlow**—Warm carmine-pink. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**White Testout**—Pure white; extra fine. Price, 25 cents.

**White Killarney**—Pure white Killarney. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**William Notting**—Bright rosy-cerise. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**William Shean**—Purest sea shell-pink. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**Yvonne Vacherot**—Porcelain-white, marked pink. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.



New Rose, Rhea Reid.

## The "GEM" List of New and Choice



# EVER-BLOOMING ROSES

## STANDARD VARIETIES—For House Culture or Outdoor Planting

Price, 10 cents each, three for 25 cents; any seven of your own selection for 50 cents; any fifteen for \$1.00. If you leave the selection of the varieties to me, I will send nine for 50 cents, or twenty for \$1.00. Large two-year-old Roses from this list, 25 cents each, or five for \$1.00.

For general planting, more especially in open ground, this class excels all others. One-year-old plants, such as I send by mail, bloom the first and each succeeding year from early spring until severe frosts. Two-year-old plants, of course, yield a greater profusion of flowers, owing to their size. The flowers are noted for their exquisite coloring and delightful fragrance; hardy everywhere in open ground with protection of litter, leaves, evergreen boughs or similar material. Plant liberally of one-year-old Roses; the harvest of bloom they give the first year compensates for the trifling outlay. Anyone can succeed with them.

Luttrell, Tenn., August 30, 1911.

My Dear Miss Baines:—Last February I purchased sixty of the "Gem" list of choice ever-blooming Roses. They have done exceedingly well, and fifty-two are in full bloom today. They began blooming in May, and are so pretty everyone wants to know where I got them. Wish you could see my garden today.

Sincerely, OLDEN TARVER.

**Agrippina**—Bright red, very free bloomer.  
**Alliance Franco-Russe**—Golden-yellow, flushed crimson.  
**Andre Gamon**—Deep carmine-rose; new; extra fine.  
**Antoine Rivoire**—Creamy-white with rainbow tints; grand.  
**Antoine Verdier**—A free-blooming, bright red Rose.  
**Archduke Charles**—Scarlet and pink.  
**Aurora**—Bright pink, very double and sweet; fine garden Rose.  
**Bardon Job**—Deepest, richest, velvety crimson of all Roses.  
**Beauty of Stapleford**—Bright, rich, rosy-crimson; extra fine.  
**Bessie Brown**—Pure white, faintly flushed cream and pink.  
**Betty**—Old coppery-yellow; extra.  
**Blumenschmidt**—Pure citron-yellow; extra.  
**Bon Silene**—Deep carmine, very free, deliciously fragrant.  
**Bougere**—Bronzed pink, tinged with lilac; large and full.  
**Bridesmaid**—A grand pink Rose. None better.  
**Burbank**—Bright pink; a grand bedder.  
**Cardinal**—A grand deep red Rose.  
**Caroline Kuster**—Light lemon-yellow.  
**Catherine Mermet**—Color a clear, rosy-pink; large.  
**Celia**—Bright satin carnation-pink; extra.  
**Champion of the World**—Rich, deep, rosy-pink; fine.  
**Cherry Ripe**—Deep rich, rosy-crimson.  
**Christine du Noue**—Color a rich crimson, deeper center.  
**Clara Watson**—Salmon-pink; a grand variety.  
**Col. R. S. Williamson**—Satin-white with deep blush center.  
**Comtesse de Barbant**—Bright shell-pink.  
**Comtesse Riza du Parc**—Coppery-rose; extra.  
**Coquette de Lyon**—(Yellow Hermosa.) Pure yellow.  
**Cornelia Cook**—The old favorite white Rose. None better.  
**Countess of Derby**—Salmon shaded with peach.  
**Countess of Goford**—Salmon-pink, shaded to rose; extra.  
**Dean Hole**—An intense salmon-pink.  
**Devoniensis**—Magnolia fragrance, creamy-white color.  
**Dr. Grill**—Coppery-yellow, tinged with red.  
**Dr. J. Campbell Hall**—Coral-rose suffused white.  
**Duchesse de Brabant**—Bright salmon-pink; extra fine.  
**Duchess of Albany**—(Red La France.) Charming.  
**Empress Eugenie**—Deep, rich pink, very double; hardy.  
**Etoile de France**—A grand new rich, red Rose.  
**Etoile de Lyon**—Deep golden-yellow, very double.  
**Florence Pemberton**—Clear lively pink; edged lighter.  
**Francis Dubreuil**—Deep, vivid crimson; a delightful Rose.  
**Freiherr Von Marschall**—A grand, large red Rose.  
**Friedrichsruhe**—Deep blood-red, large and full.  
**General McArthur**—A superb red Rose; new.  
**General Robert E. Lee**—Orange-yellow, shaded white.  
**General Tartas**—Brilliant carmine; extra fine.  
**Gladys Harkness**—Deep salmon-pink; excellent.  
**Golden Gate**—White, beautifully tinged pink.  
**Grossherzogin Alexandra**—A new canary-yellow Rose of great promise.  
**Gruss an Teplitz**—Brightest red of all Roses; extra.  
**Helen Good**—Yellow, suffused red; a beauty.  
**Helen Gould**—The finest of all red Roses; superb.  
**Hermosa**—Beautiful pink flowers; an old favorite.  
**Homer**—Soft rose, with salmon shadings.  
**Isabella Sprout**—An old-time favorite yellow Rose.  
**Ivory**—Pure snow-white.  
**Johanna Wesselhoff**—Clear, lustrous yellow; extra.  
**Kaiserin Augusta Victoria**—Pure white, hardy; extra fine.  
**Killarney**—The finest pink Rose.  
**La Detroit**—Shell-pink, shading to rose; elegant.  
**Lady Battersea**—(The Red Kaiserin.) Cherry-crimson.  
**Lady Mary Corry**—Deep golden-yellow, distinct and fine.  
**Lady Ursula**—A beautiful shade of flesh pink; extra.  
**La France**—The greatest of all bright pink Roses.  
**La Galissiere**—Brilliant deep pink. A grand new Rose.  
**La Tosca**—Soft pink tinted rosy-white.  
**Lena**—Deep golden-orange; extra.

**La Paetole**—Pale, sulphur-yellow.  
**Louis Philippe**—Dark crimson-maroon.  
**Lucullus**—Beautiful crimson-scarlet.  
**Madame Abel Chatenay**—Rosy-red, with lighter shadings.  
**Madame Camille**—Remarkable shade of salmon.  
**Madame Caroline Testout**—A grand bright pink; extra.  
**Madame Constant Soupet**—Yellow, tinted red.  
**Madame de Vatrey**—(Creole Beauty.) Red and pink.  
**Madame de Watteville**—Rosy-blush, bordered crimson.  
**Madame Hoste**—Pale lemon-yellow, almost white.  
**Madame Jenny Guillmet**—Saffron-yellow.  
**Madame Joseph Schwartz**—White, tinged pink.  
**Madame Jules Grolez**—Rose and satiny pink; extra.  
**Madame Leon Pain**—Salmon, orange center.  
**Madame Lombard**—Rosy-red, shaded lighter; extra fine.  
**Madame Margotin**—Citron-yellow with red center.  
**Madame Maurice de Luze**—Deep carmine.  
**Madame Melanie Soupet**—Yellow, suffused pink.  
**Madame Mina Barbanson**—Large, full, silvery-pink.  
**Madame Pernet Ducher**—Clear golden-yellow.  
**Madame Philippe Rivoire**—Apricot-yellow, touched carmine.  
**Madame Schwaller**—Deep bright pink, deliciously fragrant.  
**Madame Welche**—Color amber-yellow and crimson-rose.  
**Mademoiselle Cecile Berthod**—Deep, rich golden-yellow.  
**Mademoiselle Franziska Kruger**—Deep, coppery-yellow.  
**Mademoiselle Helene Gambier**—Coppery-yellow, deep center.  
**Mademoiselle Simone Beaumez**—White, yellow center.  
**Magnafraño**—Magnificent buds of crimson-scarlet.  
**Maman Cochet**—The grandest of all pink Roses.  
**Marie Ducher**—Rich salmon, fawn center.  
**Marie Guillot**—The old standby for a pure white Rose.  
**Marie Van Houtte**—Straw-yellow, flushed with crimson.  
**Marquis de Querhout**—Yellow and copper.  
**Meteor**—A grand, rich, dark red Rose; extra fine.  
**Miss Kate Moulton**—Soft shell-pink; extra.  
**Mrs. Ben. R. Cant**—Deep, dark carmine. A fine garden Rose.  
**Mrs. David Jardine**—Bright silvery-pink. A grand new Rose.  
**Mrs. Degrav**—Bright coral-pink; in immense clusters.  
**Mrs. G. W. Kershaw**—Glowing deep rose-pink.  
**Mrs. Harold Brocklebank**—Creamy-white, center buff.  
**Mrs. Robert Garret**—A grand pink, long bud.  
**Muriel Graham**—Pale cream, faintly blushed rose.  
**Papa Gontier**—Rich, bright red, very fine bloomer.  
**Peerless**—Beautiful blush white. A grand new Rose.  
**Perle des Jardins**—Clear golden-yellow, very rich.  
**Perle von Godesburg**—Pure white, with yellow center.  
**Pierre Guillot**—Enormous, rich crimson blooms; none finer.  
**Prince de Bulgarie**—Coppery-yellow, golden center.  
**Princess Bonnie**—A grand rich, bright red Rose.  
**Princess Sagan**—The color is a rich velvety crimson.  
**Rainbow**—Blotched and streaked pink and crimson.  
**Richmond**—Pure bright scarlet-red.  
**Rose Gubert**—Canary-yellow, long bud.  
**Rosemary**—Shining silvery-pink; a grand Rose.  
**Rosomane Graveraux**—White, flushed pink.  
**Safrano**—A fine old Rose, with saffron shades.  
**Snowflake**—Pure white; most profuse bloomer of all Roses.  
**Sombreuil**—Pure white, tinged delicate pink; hardy.  
**Souvenir de Catherine Guillot**—Coppery, shaded orange.  
**Souvenir de la Malmaison**—Creamy-flesh, rose center.  
**Souvenir de Pierre Notting**—Orange-yellow, bordered carmine.  
**Souvenir de President Carnot**—Lovely fawn shades; extra.  
**Souvenir d'un Ami**—Bright pink; large and fine.  
**Souvenir of Wootton**—Deep rich red.  
**Sunrise**—A combination of yellow and red, very pretty.  
**Sunset**—Has the tints of a lovely sunset.  
**The Bride**—Pure white buds, perfect and of large size.  
**The Queen**—Beautiful, large pure white flowers; extra.  
**Triumph de Pernet Pere**—Pure magenta-red, distinct.  
**Uncle John**—A grand bright pink Rose.  
**Viscountess Folkestone**—Pure white, faintly tinted fawn.  
**Wellesley**—Beautiful pink, very bright in color.  
**White Bougere**—Pure white; it is immaculate.  
**White La France**—Pure white, with shadings of fawn.  
**White Malmaison**—Pure white, shaded lemon-yellow.  
**Wm. R. Smith**—A beautiful maiden blush pink.  
**Winnie Davis**—Apricot-pink with aurora borealis tints.  
**Yellow Maman Cochet**—Golden-yellow, flushed crimson.

# TENDER CLIMBING ROSES

NEWER VARIETIES

These Roses are suitable for planting in the Southern States and on the Pacific Coast. All have beautiful flowers.



Aline Schneider.

**ALINE SCHNEIDER**—A fine climber. Canary-yellow with deep golden-yellow center. Its clear golden color gives it a place that is quite its own. Bloom large and double; sweetly scented. Price, 25c each; two-year-old, 50c each.

**CLIMBING GRUSS AN TEPLITZ**—An exact counterpart of the bush form of that superb Rose Gruss an Teplitz except that it is a vigorous climber. A perfect sheet of dazzling crimson when in bloom. Price, 25c each; two-year-old, 50c each.

**CLIMBING HELEN GOULD**—Probably no red Rose has held its place secure in the hearts of Rose lovers for so long a period as has the beautiful Helen Gould. I have now the pleasure of introducing this famous Rose in climbing form. Everybody is familiar with the warm watermelon-red color of its charming flowers. This is a grand climber. Be sure and try it. Price, 35 cents each.

**CLIMBING WHITE MAMAN COCHET**—If there is one Rose that stands out in the affections of the people more than another it is White Maman Cochet. I grow many thousand more plants of White Maman Cochet than any other variety. Here I have a climbing form that will become as popular as a climber as its parent has as a bush Rose. Grand, huge white flowers tinged pink. Price, 25 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents each.

**CLIMBING LIBERTY**—A climbing form of Liberty. Color brilliant velvety-crimson; flowers of good size and beautifully formed; a superb variety for any purpose, the blooms lasting well when cut; very free flowering. When you see this dazzling rich Rose you will never forget it. Price, 25 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents each.

**CLIMBING KILLARNEY**—An exact counterpart of Killarney in every respect except that it is of vigorous climbing habit; deep shell-pink. This will prove a great Rose wherever a climber is needed. Price, 20c each; two-year-old, 40c each.

**CLIMBING MADAME WELCHE**—A new climbing Tea Rose of great promise; a sport from Mme. Welch. The color is soft amber-yellow flushed with carmine; a glorious Rose. Price, 20 cents each; two-year plants, 50 cents.

**MADAME JULES GRAVEREAUX**—Deep yellow, center rosypeach; large, full and very fine. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old, 40 cents each.

**MADAMOISELLE LOUISE LEROY**, or **Climbing White Paul Neyron**—This is the new climbing white Paul Neyron. It resembles Madame Wagram or Climbing Paul Neyron except that the flowers are creamy-white with canary-yellow center; pure white when entirely open. A most beautiful Rose. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old, 40 cents.

# TENDER CLIMBING ROSES

STANDARD VARIETIES

INCLUDING THE NOISETTES, CLIMBING TEAS AND CLIMBING HYBRID TEAS.

Price (except where noted), 10 cents each; three for 25 cents; any seven for 50 cents. Large two-year-old plants (except where noted), 35 cents each; three for \$1.00.

**CELINE FORRESTIER**—Sulphur-yellow with deeper center; abundant bloomer; very pretty.

**CLIMBING BELLE SIEBRECHT**—An exact counterpart of Belle Siebrecht except its climbing habit; clear imperial or shell-pink. Gold medal, N. R. S.

**CLIMBING BRIDESMAID**—Like Bridesmaid, but with climbing habit; clear pink.

**CLIMBING CLOTHILDE SOUPERT**—Identical with Clothilde Soupert except that it is a vigorous climber.

**CLIMBING DEVONIENSIS**—Creamy-white, blush center; full, fine form; distinct and good; fragrant.

**CLIMBING KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA**—Also known as Mrs. Robt. Peary. A strong climbing form of the beautiful variety of same name now so well known. Pure white.

**CLIMBING MADAME CAROLINE TESTOUT**—A rampant climber. In flower identical with Mme. C. Testout. Beautiful glowing pink. You can't beat it.

**CLIMBING MADEMOISELLE CECILE BRUNNER**—Rosy-pink on a rich creamy-white ground.

**CLIMBING METEOR**—A grand climber; color velvety-maroon; very free bloomer.

**CLIMBING PAPA GONTIER**—A climbing sport of Papa Gontier, retaining its free flowering character. Color rich red.

**CLIMBING PAUL NEYRON**—Bright satiny-rose changing to Carnation-pink; fine bud and large, full flower.

**CLIMBING PERLE DES JARDINS**—A strong growing form of Perle des Jardins; color deep golden-yellow.

**CLIMBING SOUVENIR DE LA MALMAISON**—Clear flesh, edged with blush; large, very double; deliciously scented.

**CLIMBING SOUVENIR OF WOOTTON**—A rampant climber, bearing deep crimson flowers of the largest size.

**CLOTH OF GOLD**—Sulphur-yellow, deeper center; large, double.

**DUCHESS DE AUERSTADT**—This is a very fine Rose with large, full, perfectly double flowers; color, vivid nankeen-yellow. A fine climbing Tea Rose, and one that is very popular on the Pacific coast. Price, 20 cents each.

**ELIE BEAUVILLAIN**—A beautiful salmon-fawn; on the order of Gloire de Dijon.

**FRANCES E. WILLARD**—The grandest of all white Roses. Large, full flower; snow white.

**GAINSBOROUGH**—I am proud of the fact that I introduced this Rose. Its delicate coloring is difficult to describe, being delicately tinged fawn, almost white and lustrous as satin. When in full bloom it resembles a large, fine, white fluffy Peony, but without a suggestion of stiffness, often measuring eight to nine inches in diameter. An enthusiastic admirer from the state of Oregon describes it as a Rose reminding him of a beautiful girl wearing a light colored Gainsborough hat, ornamented with white ostrich plumes, hence the suggestion of its name. Be sure and try this Rose.

**GLOIRE DE DIJON**—Color buff, with orange center; very large and very double and full; the first to flower, and keeps on until the very last; the hardest of any of the Tea Roses, and deliciously tea-scented. Good in any situation, either as a bush or pillar Rose. Price, 20 cents each.

**JAMES SPROUT**—Deep cherry-red; very double and hardy.

**LAMARQUE**—White shaded lemon; large, very sweet scented.

**MAMIE**—A Rose that has been out for some time, but in the shuffle became lost. It has so many points of great excellence that I have resurrected it, and I predict that before many moons have rolled around it will be planted largely. It is a strong grower with buds and flowers of the largest and most perfect shape and form. The color is exquisite, being a delicate fawn with heart of pink. One of the most beautiful of light colored Roses. Don't forget this Rose. It will make a place for itself among the leaders. Since the above was written a couple of years ago, the demand for this Rose has exceeded my facilities for producing it. It is simply in a class by itself. Price, 15 cents each.

## Tender Climbing Roses, Standard Varieties—Concluded

**MARECHAL NIEL**—This is the old standby yellow Rose in the South, where it is hardy; indeed, it will bloom in any garden, but is not hardy in the North. Immense deep golden-yellow flowers with the deepest, richest, tea fragrance of all Roses. Price, 15 cents each; stronger plants, 25 to 50 cents, according to size; strong, one-year-old, \$1.00; two years old, \$1.50; three years old, \$2.00.

**PILAR OF GOLD**—The blooms are double to the center, of the largest size, and come in immense bouquets of from five to ten blooms on a single branch, and the effect throughout the blooming season is a perfect sheet of color. The color, ruby-red suffused with golden-yellow, is a happy combination.

**REINE MARIE HENRIETTE**—Deep cherry-red. This Rose takes the lead as a climber from New Orleans to Philadelphia.

**REVE D'OR, or GOLDEN CHAIN**—Buff-yellow, very free bloomer; very pretty. Strong grower; will do well in any situation.

**RUTH VESTAL, or CLIMBING BRIDE**—A lovely pure white climbing form of the Bride. I predict a great future for this Rose.

**STRIPED REINE MARIE HENRIETTE**—A sport from Reine Marie Henriette with the same beautiful rosy-carmine flowers that are exquisitely striped vivid carmine; distinct and fine.

**SOLFATARE**—Fine, clear sulphur-yellow; very fine, large shapely bud with fully double open flower. Extra fine.



Climbing Rose Trained Over Porch.

**WILLIAM ALLEN RICHARDSON**—Very deep orange-yellow; medium size, but extremely showy and distinct; very attractive.

**ZELIA PRADEL**—Lemon-yellow changing to creamy-white; very fine.

## MISCELLANEOUS ROSES

**AMOENA** (The Pink Flowering Cherokee Rose)—This wonderfully beautiful Laevigata or Cherokee Rose was raised in California, and it will sweep the state like wild fire when it is once known. The flowers are the same as the white flowering Cherokee, except that the color is a glowing pink with golden-yellow center. Resembles huge apple blossoms. Stock scarce. I have a fine lot. Price, 15 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**DOUBLE LAEVIGATA** (Or the Double Flowering Cherokee)—A beautiful hardy Rose, bearing double white flowers; very fine. The foliage of this Rose is very distinct.

**FORTE'S DOUBLE YELLOW** (Or Beauty of Glazengwood)—Yellow flaked with carmine; very charming color.

**LAEVIGATA** (The Single White Cherokee Rose)—This is the famous Cherokee Rose so well known in California. Large, pure white flowers with center filled with golden-yellow anthers.

**MICROPHYLLA ALBA**—A most vigorous grower; very hardy; bears semi-double flowers of a creamy-white. This is the Rose Keystone you hear so much about.

**NEW CENTURY**—Hybrid Rugosa. A grand Rose that is entirely hardy, bearing beautiful silvery-pink flowers in clusters. This Rose is in bloom all the time. Extra fine for nurseryman. Price, 15 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**SIR THOMAS LIPTON**—Hybrid Rugosa. The best pure white Rugosa Rose. Strong and vigorous; grows four feet high. Flowers perfectly double, pure snow-white. Fragrant, borne on long stems continuously throughout the season. Absolutely hardy everywhere. Splendid for hedging cemetery and park work. Price, 15 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

## PERNETIANA ROSES A NEW FAMILY OF ROSES; NATIVE OF THE SOUTH OF EUROPE THESE HYBRIDS WERE INTRODUCED BY A FRENCH GROWER.

The following varieties are all entirely new, and resist the coldest weather. They produce flowers in the greatest abundance with strange colors not to be found in any other section of the world. I can only supply budded plants that we import.

**ARTHUR R. GOODWIN**—This is a genuine "Pernetiana," and is perfectly hardy everywhere. The color is coppery orange-red passing to salmon-pink as the flowers expand. A superb combination of color; flowers medium to large and full. Should prove a most valuable Rose. As this variety grows from cuttings, I offer it on its own roots. Price, 35 cents; two-year-old, 75 cents.

**JULIET**—A very distinct and attractive novelty, blooming both in summer and autumn. Strong, vigorous growth, with large and very double flowers; outside of petals old gold; interior rich rosy-red, changing to deep rose as the flowers expand. Of powerful and delicious fragrance. Has been universally admired wherever exhibited. A variety which is bound to create a sensation. Price, two-year budded plants, only \$1.00.

**LYON ROSE**—(Named in honor of the city of Lyons, France, where these Roses were given to the world.) Pronounced by experts to be the most important introduction of modern times. Flowers large, full and double, of remarkable substance; shrimp-pink, edges coral-red or salmon-pink, shaded chrome-yellow; exceedingly fragrant and perfectly hardy. Has been awarded the highest prizes at the many exhibitions in Europe. Price, two-year budded plants, \$1.00.

Price, except where noted, 10c. each; two-year plants, 35 cents each.

**WHITE BANKSIA** (Or Lady Banks)—A vigorous grower, in California growing to the top of tall trees and completely enveloping the entire tree; small double pure white flower in clusters, with the true Violet fragrance; very desirable. Price, 15 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**WICHURAIANA** (Memorial Rose)—It readily adapts itself to any soil and will do well under any condition. The pure white single flowers appear in greatest profusion during the month of July, after the June Roses are all past.

**YELLOW BANKSIA** (Or Lady Banks)—Same as White Banksia, except color of blooms is sulphur-yellow. Price, 15 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

## MOSS ROSES

These are probably a sport of the Cabbage Rose. The origin of the double Moss Rose is left to conjecture. They have always been favorites, for what can be more elegant than the bud of the Moss Rose and more delicious than its fragrance. Perfectly hardy. Price, 25 cents, the four for 80 cents; two-year size, 40 cents, the four for \$1.25.

**ELIABETH ROWE**—This is an old favorite with its large deep pink buds well mossed. A beauty.

**HENRI MARTIN**—Large full flower of deep red; well mossed; fragrant.

**MOUSSELINE**—Pure white flower, buds heavily and beautifully mossed.

**PRINCESS ADELAIDE**—Deep blush-pink with buds that are thoroughly mossed.

**RAYON D'OR**—(Rays of Gold.) This is the Rose that won the gold medal awarded by the city of Paris at the international exhibition of new Roses held at Bagatelle in 1907 and 1909. It has taken prizes of honor at a number of other places. Entirely hardy. Rayon d'Or is indisputably the deepest of all the yellow colored Roses in existence. The bud is oval shaped, coppery-orange, streaked with brilliant scarlet bars. The open flowers are large, full, of fine globular form. Color on first opening superb cadmium-yellow. When fully expanded the color is a deep, brilliant sunflower-yellow, which does not fade. Produces its flowers in great profusion, and revels in all weathers. When massed it forms the most glowing decoration of the garden. An incomparably yellow Rose. Price, two-year budded plants, \$1.50.

**SOLIEL D'OR**—(Golden Sun.) This Rose is the first of a new race unique in habit of growth and color. The flowers are large and globular, very full, the center petals well incurved, giving a double effect. Color is a blending of golden-yellow and reddish-gold, shading to golden-orange and nasturtium-red. Deliciously fragrant. Very hardy and free-blooming. Price, two-year budded plants, 50 cents.

# HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

## NEWER VARIETIES

The first Hybrid Perpetuals were grown from crosses between Hybrid China and Tea Scented Roses with Gallica and Bourbon Roses. This is a beautiful class and cannot be too highly recommended, including, as it does, many of the hardiest early and late flowering kinds, and nearly all of the superb rich crimson red and pink varieties which make such pleasing contrasts to the yellow and white Teas.

**AMERICAN BEAUTY**—Not a new Rose, but a great favorite with everybody. It is the largest of all red Roses. Always scarce. We have a fine stock. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**AVOCA**—Brilliant velvety-crimson with large smooth petals and high pointed center; buds very long; flowers of largest size and sweetly perfumed. Awarded gold medal of National Rose Society of England. This is catalogued abroad as a Hybrid Tea; in America it is a Hybrid Perpetual. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**BARBAROSSA** (The Red Frau Karl Druschi.) A noteworthy new Hybrid Perpetual that has jumped into favor in a very short time. It is very large and full; color a brilliant tone of pure carmine-red; very free bloomer, and deliciously fragrant. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**CONRAD FERDINAND MEYER**—This Rose has Rugosa blood in its make up and is classed by some as a Hybrid Rugosa; it's the best Hybrid Perpetual you have ever known. This is a grand Rose, a vigorous grower, and free bloomer; flowers large, perfectly double, cup-shaped. Color deep, bright, vivid, intense pink, with the penetrating fragrance of the old June Roses. I have grown this Rose for four years, in sections of the country from Canada to the Gulf, and I have no hesitancy in saying after the most thorough and rigid test that a Rose can be put to that this Rose is in every respect just what I claim for it. That is, the very best all around Rose ever introduced by anyone, and to this I make not a single exception. It grows vigorously, it blooms freely, is absolutely hardy, flowers of the largest size; the form is perfect, the coloring unequalled and the fragrance delicious. Can you ask more? Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**CAPTAIN HAYWARD**—This Rose ranks up at the top of the list. Mr. Crowell, the noted rosarian, claims for this the very best of all red Hybrids. Color deep glowing crimson, very bright and rich, of the largest size. We know of no red hybrid that in any way compares with it. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**DUC DE ROHAN**—This is a grand Rose, the flowers are very large and of symmetrical form, somewhat globular, very full and extremely fragrant; the color is a clear dazzling bright red, free bloomer, certainly a prize winner. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**EUGENE FURST**—In this Rose we have one of the most distinct and valuable additions to our garden Roses that has been made in many years. It is large and full, fine form. Color deep red shaded crimson. Profuse bloomer. A most charming and superbly grand Rose. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**HIS MAJESTY**—The Crimson Frau Karl Druschi. Another Rose classed by some as a Hybrid Tea. Dark deep crimson, shaded deep vermillion-crimson towards the edges. The blooms are full, of great size, having wonderful substance



Frau Karl Druschi, the "White American Beauty."

and depth of petal, with high pointed center. It is also one of the sweetest perfumed Roses in cultivation. Awarded gold medal, N. R. S., 1908. A grand all around Red Hybrid. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**MRS. STEWART CLARK**—Color varying from bright cerise-pink to brilliant rose or cherry-pink, with distinct zone of white at the base of each petal. Flowers of immense size and great substance. A grand Rose of delicious perfume. Gold medal, N. R. S. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**NOVA ZEMBLA**—A sport from Conrad F. Meyer, inheriting all the good qualities of its parent with the added merit that the flowers are pure white, full and sweet scented; very fine. A Rose that will be widely planted. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

# HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES, Standard Varieties

All are hardy. Price, 15 cents; any four for 50 cents; any ten for \$1.00. Two-year-old plants, 40 cents; three for \$1.00; any six for \$1.75.

**ALFRED COLOMB**—Bright red, very large, full and globular; free blooming and fragrant; a grand Rose.

**ANNE DE DIESBACH**—The famous "Glory of Paris." Bright deep clear pink, of largest size; fine bud and open flower.

**BARON DE BONSTETTEN**—Velvety blackish-crimson; large and full.

**BLACK PRINCE**—Deep blackish-crimson; large, full and globular; very free flowering.

**BOULE DE NEIGE, or BALL OF SNOW**—Pure white, flushed rose; very floriferous.

**CAPTAIN CHRISTY**—Delicate peachblow-pink, center richer in color; large and full. Abroad this Rose is classed with the Hybrid Teas.

**CHARLES LEFEBRE**—Fine brilliant velvety-crimson; very large and double and of superb form; must take rank as one of the best.

**CLIO**—Flesh color shaded in the center to rosy-peach. Large, fine, globular form; free bloomer and distinct.

**COQUETTE DES ALPES**—Pure white, delicately tinted blush on first opening.

**DINSMORE**—Bright cherry-red; very free bloomer; in fact, is seldom out of bloom.

**DUKE OF CONNAUGHT**—Bright crimson-scarlet; large, full globular flower; an excellent Rose.

**DUKE OF EDINBURGH**—Very bright vermillion; extra large and full; a distinct and splendid variety. Should be in everyone's garden.

**EARL OF DUFFERIN**—Rich velvety-crimson shaded with dark maroon. Very large, full and fine form.

**FISHER HOLMES**—Crimson-scarlet shaded deeper; large, full and perfect form; very beautiful and free.

**FRANCOIS LEVET**—Deep rose, of large size, very free bloomer; extra fine.

**GENERAL JACQUEMINOT**—Crimson-scarlet; large, full; very fragrant; excellent.

**GLOIRE L'EXPOSITION DE BRUXELLES**—Large, full, dark crimson; the deepest of the Hybrid Perpetuals.

**GLOIRE DE MARGOTTIN**—Very dazzling red, extremely showy.

**GLOIRE LYONNAISE**—Very large, full flowers. Color white, base of petals canary; Tea Rose perfume. An excellent Rose.

**HUGH DICKSON**—A vigorous free grower and perpetual bloomer with fine foliage; color brilliant crimson shaded scarlet; large and fine form, opening well in all weathers. Very sweetly scented.

**JOHN HOPPER**—Bright rose, reverse of petals pale lilac; very large and double; free bloomer.

**JUBILEE**—A pure crimson with shadings of maroon; a grand Rose from every point of view.

**LOUIS VAN HOUTTE**—Deep crimson shaded maroon, most vivid and distinct; large, full and fine form.

**MADAME CHARLES WOOD**—Bright cherry-red; extremely free bloomer. A grand garden Rose.

**MADAM MASSON**—This is a glorious Rose. The flower is of the largest size. Color bright brilliant red; free bloomer. Sweetly scented.

**MADAME PLANTIER**—Extremely hardy; vigorous grower; completely hides itself in June with its lovely pure white sweet-scented flowers; fine. This is strictly speaking not a Hybrid Perpetual, but I place it with the Hybrid Perpetuals for convenience sake.

**MAGNA CHARTA**—Bright rose, very large and double, of good form and fragrant; extra.

**MARCHIONESS OF LORNE**—Produces flowers of an exceedingly rich rose color, shaded in center with vivid carmine; extra fine.

**MARGARET DICKSON**—White with delicate flesh center; large and of good substance; fine form. Awarded gold medal, N. R. S.

**MARIE BAUMANN**—Soft carmine-red; very large, full, perfect form, free blooming.

**MARSHALL P. WILDER**—A great many persons will not give up to the contention that this is the ne plus ultra in red Roses. It certainly is a hummer and hard to beat. Deep, rich glowing red.

**MRS. JOHN LAING**—A splendid Rose, perfectly hardy, with immense flowers; full and double; borne in great profusion. Color clear bright shining pink; exquisitely shaded. Awarded gold medal, N. R. S. Cannot be too highly recommended.

**MRS. R. G. SHARMAN CRAWFORD**—Clear rosy-pink; the outer petals shaded with pale flesh; one of the very finest Roses grown. Gold medal, N. R. S.

**PAUL NEYRON**—Deep rose; flowers of immense size; indeed many claim this to be the largest Rose grown.

**PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN**—Deep velvety crimson-maroon, full and of good form and perhaps the best of all the hardy dark Roses.

**ROBERT DUNCAN**—Bright crimson flushed with rosy-lake; very floriferous; fragrant.

**ROGER LAMBELIN**—Glowing velvety-crimson; each petal distinctly edged with pure white.

**ULRICH BRUNNER**—Cherry-red of immense size; fine form and most effective in the garden. Should be in everyone's collection.

**VICK'S CAPRICE**—Large, full. Color bright satiny-pink, striped white and carmine; a very distinct Rose.



Conrad Ferdinand Meyer.

# Hardy Climbing Roses

NEWER  
VARIETIES

INCLUDING THE RAMBLERS, CL. POLYANTHAS and WICHURAIANA.

These Roses are suitable for planting where they can climb on walls, fences, galleries, porches, pillars, pergolas, arches, etc.; in fact, wherever a hardy climber is required. This list includes the Ramblers, Climbing Polyanthas, Wichuraianas, etc.

**AMERICAN PILLAR** — Climbing Polyantha. A new single flowering Rose with blooms two to three inches across, borne in immense clusters. Color lovely apple-blossom-pink with bright golden stamens followed in autumn with red hips. A great Rose to grow in pots for Easter. Price, 15 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY** — Climbing H. P. A seedling from American Beauty with Wichuraiana and Tea blood in its veins. The introducers say of it: "Same color, size and fragrance as American Beauty, with the addition of the climbing habit. Good foliage, and better blooming qualities. One plant of this new Rose will produce twenty times as many flowers in June as the old American Beauty, besides blooming occasionally during the summer. Blooms three to four inches across; has proved perfectly hardy and stands heat and drought as well as any Rose in our collection." I feel sure this Rose has a great future. 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**CLIMBING BABY RAMBLER** — Climbing Polyantha. This is a true ever-blooming Crimson Rambler, for at this writing (August 1st) it is in full bloom in the garden with enormous heads of richest crimson. There has been a widespread demand for a Crimson Rambler that would bloom more than once. Here you have it. Everyone knows how Baby Rambler is always in bloom. This is simply a climbing form of the Baby Rambler, embracing all its good qualities. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**DR. W. VAN FLEET** — Wichuraiana. Flowers when open run four inches and over in diameter. The center is built high, petals beautifully undulated and cupped. The color is a remarkable delicate shade of flesh-pink on the outer surface, deepening to rosy-flesh in the center. The flowers are full and double, of delicate perfume; buds pointed. It very much resembles Souv. de Pres. Carnot in color. Superb. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**FLOWER OF FAIRFIELD** — This is a much heralded ever-blooming Crimson Rambler; deep crimson in immense clusters. Price, 15 cents; two-year-old, 30 cents.

**GOLDFINCH** — Buds deep yellow, opening lemon-white, semi-double, borne in large trusses. 20c; two-year-old, 40c.

**GRAF ZEPPELIN** — Climbing Polyantha. A brilliant rose colored flower that attracts from a great distance; vigor of Crimson Rambler. Cupped form; double. In immense trusses; unusually floriferous. This Rose is unsurpassed as a climber. Price, 25 cents.

**HIAWATHA** — This is a great favorite to force in pots for Easter. Brilliant scarlet-white at base of petals; flowering in large clusters most brilliant and effective. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

**RED DOROTHY PERKINS** — (Excelsa.) It is a good deal to claim for a Rose, but I am within bounds when I describe Excelsa as a brilliant Crimson Rambler flower on glossy, varnished Wichuraiana foliage. The defects of Crimson Rambler are its unsightly foliage in unseasonable weather, and its defoliation by insects; the infusion of Wichuraiana blood assures an ornamental climber which is nearly evergreen, and this will assure this lovely crimson-scarlet pillar Rose a place in every American garden, for it is quite hardy in addition to all its other fine points. If you want the best red climbing Rose, plant Red Dorothy Perkins. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.



Red Dorothy Perkins.

**MRS. F. W. FLIGHT** — Beautiful pink with white center; semi-double, large trusses; lovely. Price, 20 cents.

**TAUSENDSCHOEN or THOUSAND BEAUTIES** — A climbing Rose that comes to us from Germany. The flowers upon first opening are the most delicate shade of pink ever seen in a Rose, might be described as a white delicately flushed pink changing to rosy-carmine. It gets its name from its many flowers and the variation in coloring; beautiful; will become as famous as Crimson Rambler or Dorothy Perkins. I wrote the above a year ago, and now I can add that this Rose is sweeping the country like a prairie fire. You can word paint all you want to and then you will have left something unsaid. Simply a wonder. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**VEILCHENBLAU**, The Blue Rose — The most wonderful Rose of the century for the reason that it marks a decided advance in the color of the Rose hitherto only dreamed of. Veilchenblau or Violet Blue is the proper name, but no doubt it will be known in America as the Blue Rose. This Rose is going to have a larger sale by far than Crimson Rambler. Have I seen it flower? Well, I guess yes, and my word for it if you want something to cause you to stop and take notice, the Blue Rose will fill the bill. At a distance of fifty or a hundred feet a bush of the Blue Rose in full bloom will startle you. A seedling from Crimson Rambler, semi-double flowers larger than that variety, produced in large trusses. This Rose first opens pink, but quickly changes to violet-blue. The introducer describes it as being reddish-lilac, changing to amethyst and steel blue. Very distinct and extremely pleasing. A wonder. Price, 20 cents; three for 50 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**WHITE DOROTHY PERKINS** — (B. R. Cant, 1908.) It has been the cry of nurserymen for years for a white climber that would rank up with Crimson Rambler, and now I have the pleasure of offering this White Dorothy Perkins that in every way is the equal, if not superior, to Crimson Rambler as a red, and Dorothy Perkins as a pink. This Rose has no rival as a white climber. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

# HARDY CLIMBING ROSES

## Including the Ramblers

**Price, 10 Cents, Any Three for 25 Cents, Any Seven for 50 Cents; Two-Year-Old, 35 Cents, Three for 90 Cents.**

**ALBERIC BARBIER**—Wichuriana. Creamy-white with canary-yellow center; buds of orange-yellow. The flowers are semi-double in immense clusters. A very fine early flowering variety.

**BALTIMORE BELLE**—Blush-white; in large clusters. A splendid hardy climber.

**CAROLINE MARNIESSE**—This is a hardy Noisette Rose; blush-white; very free bloomer.

**CRIMSON RAMBLER**—Bright crimson flowers produced in large clusters of pyramidal form; grand variety for pillars and arches and to train over porches; also makes a fine attractive hedge. Awarded gold medal, N. R. S.

**DOROTHY PERKINS**—A most brilliant shell-pink; the flowers are borne in large clusters of small double blooms and are very sweetly scented; quite first-class.

**EMPEROR OF CHINA**—Bright pink; in large clusters.

**EVERGREEN GEM**—Yellow in bud opening to almost white and perfectly double; early flowering.

**GARDENIA**—Bright yellow, cream color when open; very fragrant and free; early flowering.

**LADY GAY**—Deep rich rose color, similar in all respects to Dorothy Perkins, but the flowers are larger and the color deeper; late flowering.

**MANDA'S TRIUMPH**—Large clusters of double white flowers; sweetly scented.

**MARY WASHINGTON**—Pure white, perfectly double, in immense clusters; fine.

**MADAME ALFRED CARRIERE**—Pure white suffused with yellow at base of petals; very free and very fragrant; fine for arches and pillars.

**PHILADELPHIA RAMBLER**—Glowing crimson, large clusters; fine; several shades darker in color than Crimson Rambler.

**PINK RAMBLER**—Bright pink; produced in large clusters.

**RAIRIE QUEEN**—The old standby red climber. It is so hardy that it delights in the climate of Alaska and Canada.

**RUSSELL'S COTTAGE**—Dark red, double and full; very hardy.

**SEVEN SISTERS**—Crimson to white and all intermediate shades; extra.

**SOUTH ORANGE PERFECTION**—Soft pink or blush changing to white.

**TENNESSEE BELLE**—Beautiful pink; free bloomer; an old standby.

**TRIER**—Large clusters of creamy-white blooms with dark yellow anthers, flowering freely; quite hardy.

**WHITE RAMBLER**—Small flowers of pure white, produced in large clusters; fine.

**WILLIAM C. EAGAN**—A grand climber producing in great abundance delightful rose colored flowers.

**YELLOW RAMBLER**—Bright yellow changing to canary-yellow; produced in pyramidal clusters of fifty or more blooms.

## POLYANTHA OR BABY RAMBLER ROSES

### Newer Varieties

A class of miniature Roses derived from the Climbing Polyantha. They are of dwarf habit and bloom so freely as to cover the entire plant with bloom. The plants are splendid for bedding, or as edgings for borders, as they are hardy.



Madison Rose (See page 5).

**JESSIE**—This new Baby Rambler is an ideal Rose for massing, bedding or for pot culture. The flowers, which are produced in huge clusters, are of a bright cherry-crimson color which does not fade. Superb. The best of all the Baby Ramblers for pot culture. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**MRS. TAFT**—This is the improved Baby Rambler; clear red in color, not fading like Baby Rambler. Certificate of merit of the London Horticultural Society. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**MRS. WILLIAM H. CUTBUSH**—Has flowers with the pleasing delicate pink of Dorothy Perkins, blooming in profusion all summer. Extra fine for pot culture. Price, 20 cents; two-year-old, 40 cents.

**ORLEANS**—The showiest and prettiest of all the Baby Ramblers. This charming and dainty Rose is of beautiful rounded habit and is a huge bouquet of deep cerise or Geranium-pink with distinct showy center of pure white; florets not crowded, but of beautiful arrangement, making as a whole a charming combination that cannot be beaten. The color is irresistible. The plant grows like a weed and the flowers are nearly "immortelle" in their lasting qualities. I believe that they will outlast almost any other Rose in existence with their stiff paper-like texture. This pretty Rose has taken Europe by storm and will make a sensation as soon as known in this country. Awarded gold medal. Price, 25 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.

# Polyantha or Baby Rambler Roses

## Standard Varieties

Price, 10 cents; six for 50 cents. Two-year-old plants, 30 cents; two for 50 cents.



Baby Rambler Rose "Orleans." A perfect sheet of bloom all summer long.

**ANNA MULLER**—Large clusters of brilliant rose-colored flowers produced in great profusion.

**BABY RAMBLER**—This is the original Baby Rambler, daddy of them all. It is in bloom all the time, flowers in large clusters of brightest crimson. It grows to a height of eighteen inches and hides the plant with its bloom. A most wonderful Rose.

**CATHERINE ZEIMET or WHITE BABY RAMBLER**—This is the far-famed white flowering Baby Rambler. Certainly a sight worth seeing when in full bloom. Pure white.

**CLOTHILDE SOUPERT**—Outer petals pearly-white, center rosy-pink; large for its class; very full; exquisite.

**MADESOISELLE CECILE BRUNNER**—Blush shaded pale salmon-pink; distinct and very pretty.

**MARIE PAVIE**—White with rose center; full, one of the best.

**MOSELLA**—This is a Hybrid Polyantha and bears large flowers for this class; center of flower chrome-yellow; edges of petals shading out to creamy-white.

**PAQUERETTE**—Pure white and very double.

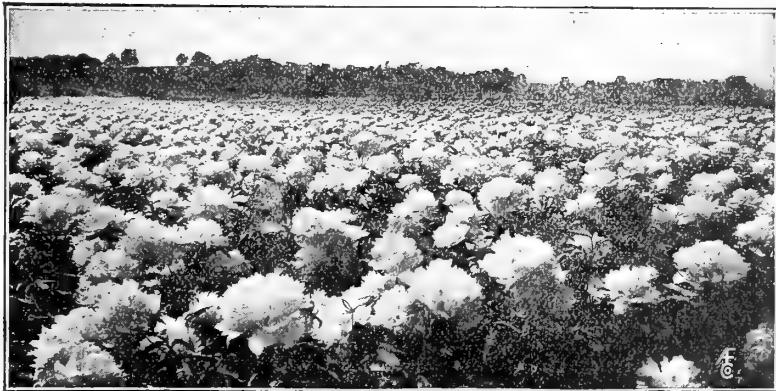
**PERLE D'OR**—Nankeen-yellow with orange center; very novel and beautiful.

**SCHNEEWITCHEN** — Ivory - white large trusses of semi-double flowers, with large golden stamens.

## SPLENDID PEONIES Hardy Everywhere "ARISTOCRAT OF THE FLOWERS."

### "Peonies for Pleasure."

This book of "Peonies for Pleasure" gives information on Peony history; soil and plants to use; how and when to plant; fertilizers and how to apply, and describes the most extensive planting of really valuable Peonies ever gathered together under the sun; describes the old and the new, as well as the plebeian and aristocrat of the Peony family. If you want information on the plant that stands next to the Rose in beauty, that is practically known to the amateur as simply a red, white and pink Peony, then send for "Peonies for Pleasure."



Festiva Maxima in Full Bloom.

The wonderful improvement made during recent years in these old-fashioned hardy plants has brought them into renewed popularity. The gorgeous flowers, which rival the finest Roses in size, form and color, are produced in great abundance. After once being planted they require little care and attention, thrive anywhere, and are absolutely hardy even in the coldest climates; each year after planting they grow into greater value, producing more and more flowers. They are not troubled with insect pests. Try some of my fine Peonies, and see what grand flowers they are. Get it out of your head that there are only Red, White and Pink Peonies to illustrate at flowering time. People who visit my field will say, "I have Pink and White Peonies. I desire only Red ones," but when they are shown the Pink and White, they invariably exclaim, "How grand! I have none like them." There is as much difference in Peonies as there is in Roses.

# My Special Selection of Peonies

I realize that there are many who have not the time or inclination or who will not feel competent to make a selection from a long list of Peonies, and for the assistance of such I offer the following collections. These have been arranged with great care, each collection covering as wide range of color as possible, and with the idea of giving the greatest possible value for the amount invested. Descriptions of the Peonies offered in the following collections will be found in the alphabetical list:

## POPULAR COLLECTION

Twelve Peonies of low price but all good, free bloomers, with large, handsome flowers.

|                       |        |                         |        |
|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------|--------|
| Canari .....          | \$0 35 | Mont Blanc.....         | \$0 35 |
| Duchesse de Nemours.. | 35     | Madame de Verneville..  | 35     |
| Edulis Superba.....   | 35     | Marie Stuart.....       | 35     |
| Excelsior .....       | 35     | Queen Victoria.....     | 35     |
| Humei .....           | 35     | Victor Hugo.....        | 35     |
| Louis Van Houtte..... | 35     | Victoire Tricolore..... | 35     |

Any three of popular collection for 90 cents, any six for \$1.50; the entire twelve for \$2.50.

## MASTERPIECE COLLECTION

A Collection of Twelve Peonies that are World Beaters.

|                       |        |                        |        |
|-----------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|
| American Beauty.....  | \$0 50 | Jenny Lind.....        | \$0 50 |
| Berlioz .....         | 50     | Lady Leonora Bramwell. | 50     |
| Ball of Snow.....     | 50     | Leviathan .....        | 50     |
| Duke of Wellington... | 50     | Masterpiece .....      | 50     |
| Festiva Maxima.....   | 50     | Marie Jacquin.....     | 50     |
| Floral Treasure.....  | 50     | Prince Imperial.....   | 50     |

Any three of Masterpiece Collection for \$1.25, any six for \$2.25, the entire twelve for \$4.00.

## TRIUMPH COLLECTION

A collection of extra choice and rare Peonies, each one of which is a masterpiece. You cannot find their equals.

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|---------------------|--------|-------------------------|--------|
| Albert Crousse..... | \$0 75 | Golden Harvest.....     | \$0 75 |
| Avalanche .....     | 75     | La Tulipe.....          | 75     |
| Asa Gray.....       | 75     | Lady Derby.....         | 75     |
| Crown of Gold.....  | 75     | Monsieur Jules Elie.... | 75     |
| Felix Crousse.....  | 75     | Marie Lemoine.....      | 75     |
| Gigantea .....      | 75     | Sea Shell .....         | 75     |

Any three of Triumph Collection for \$2.00, any six for \$3.75, the entire twelve for \$7.00.

## SPECIAL OFFER

I will send the entire collection of thirty-six Peonies, Popular, Masterpiece and Triumph, which, if ordered singly, would cost \$19.00, for only \$12.50. This offer is net. These Peonies will be a revelation to you.

## PEONIES DESCRIBED

**ALBERT CROUSSE**—Immense, very full, convex bloom, as perfect in outline and contour as a Show or Fancy Dahlia flower. The petals are imbricated like a Carnation, and overlap each other. The color is best described as an even, delicate, sea-shell pink, an unusual shade for a Peony, and is unapproached in this regard by any other variety. This grand Peony has all the points of excellence. A most striking flower. Price, 75 cents.

**AMERICAN BEAUTY**—Very brilliant crimson, full, double flowers on wiry stems; coloring is wonderfully rich and brilliant. This is known as the American Beauty Peony on account of the resemblance in color to the Rose of that name. Good cut flower, red. Price, 50 cents.

**ASA GRAY**—Large, full imbricated; rose-formed bloom; guard petals salmon-flesh; center very full and perfectly formed; color lilac sprinkled with minute dots of deeper lilac; striking, imposing and beautiful. No Peony produces more flowers; fragrant and distinct. Price, 75 cents.

**AVALANCHE**—Avalanche, in my estimation, is one of the finest Peonies grown. Large, convex bloom of perfect form; color milk-white with cream-colored center; has ruby-colored markings of rare delicacy and beauty on some of its petals. A superb Peony. None better. Price, 75 cents.

**BALL OF SNOW**—Large cup-shaped bloom of good substance and perfect form. Color white with sulphur center, bordered carnine; erect, tall grower; fine cut flower variety; follows Festiva Maxima. Price, 50 cents.

**BERLIOZ**—Enormous, full, globular, imbricated bloom, bright currant-red center tinted rose, and shaded with amaranth. The petals are distinctly tipped silver. A very showy and beautiful Peony. Price, 50 cents.

**CANARI**—Primary petals white, flushed pink with deep primrose-yellow center; sweetly fragrant; tall grower. Price, 35 cents.

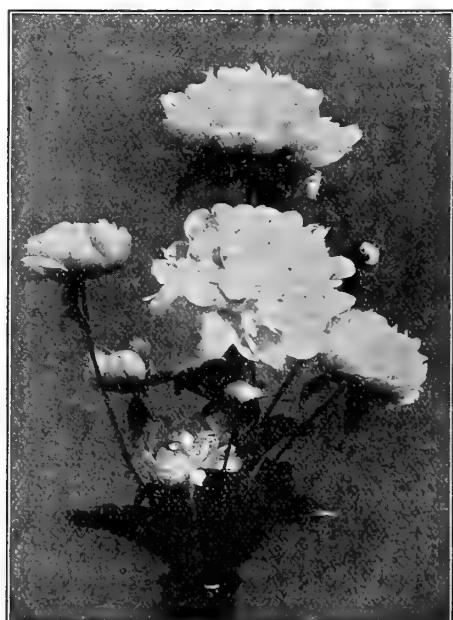
**CROWN OF GOLD**—This is the famous Crown of Gold; immense, fine shaped bloom; color, snow-white, reflecting golden-yellow, with a circle of golden stamens showing through the petals, lighting up the whole flower, and which suggests the name; delicate carmine edges on a few central petals. The attainment of perfection in Peonies. Price, 75 cents.

**DUCHESSE DE NEMOURS**—Blooms several days after Festiva Maxima. Superb cup-shaped, sulphur-white flowers with greenish reflex that lights up the entire flower; gradually changes to a pure snow-white without spot or blemish. In all Peonies there is nothing so exquisitely chaste and beautiful as this variety in the half open bud state. In growth it is entirely distinct, being upright and branching. Certainly a grand Peony. Price, 35 cents.

**DUKE OF WELLINGTON**—Two rows of large, broad, guard petals of pure snow white. Center of flower sulphur-white. The flower is of enormous size. Our three-year plants will measure eight inches. It is pyramidal in shape. A flower you will never forget. Price, 50 cents.

**EXCELSIOR**—Bright, rich, deep, crimson of velvety texture. One of the best of the red Peonies. Price, 35 cents.

**FELIX CROUSSE**—All Peony enthusiasts are familiar with the fact that it is difficult to get a red Peony that is a self color; that is to say, a full, rich, even shade of red without being suffused with violet, purple or crimson shades. Felix Crousse fills the bill. Its large, globular flowers, solid and compactly built from edge to center, are a rich, even, brilliant, dazzling ruby-red. Exceptionally fiery, bright and effective. Both the color and size is startling. I place this in the front rank of all the red Peonies. As a general purpose red none better. Price, 75 cents.



Peony, La Tulipe.  
(See description on next page.)

## PEONIES DESCRIBED—Continued

**EDULIS SUPERBA**—Beautiful brilliant pink, with silvery reflex; large, well-formed, full flower on strong stem; blooms early with *Festiva Maxima*, and is a good sort to plant with that variety. Price, 35 cents.

**FESTIVA MAXIMA**—This is not only the finest white in existence, but many regard it as the queen of all the Peonies. Mr. Harrison says: "This flower has reached the ultimate beyond which we cannot go. Here at the door stands *Festiva Maxima*, white as the soul of the Madonna, with now and then a blood drop, as though the iron had sometime entered her heart. What a marvelous flower!" It combines enormous size with wondrous beauty; often seven to eight inches in diameter. Clear carmine spots on edge of center petals. For over sixty years it has held first rank, and is still the standard of perfection by which all other Peonies are judged. Price, 50 cents.

**FLORAL TREASURE**—Very large, full flowers of clear, even pink, shading lighter at the center; very delicate color. "A splendid hemisphere of fragrant loveliness." Long stems uphold the big, handsome blooms. Almost seven inches across; a most unique and charming variety. Fine for cut flowers. Price, 50 cents.

**GIGANTEA**—Enormous flowers six to seven inches across on long stems; color the most exquisite shade of bright pink, tipped with silvery-white, reflecting a silvery sheen; deliciously fragrant. Fully as effective for decorative purposes as the largest and showiest Chrysanthemum. *Gigantea* is a ravishingly beautiful wild flower. A wonder. Price, 75c.

**GOLDEN HARVEST**—A most striking variety producing large, tricolored bloom. The guard petals are blush-pink with creamy-white center; center of flower overlaid and tipped with carmine. It combines cream, gold, white, pink, salmon, peach and apricot, the total color effect of the flower being creamy-pink; strong, delicate fragrance. Mr. Harrison says: "It breaks out into a wild, rollicking prodigality of beauty with its large flowers as to almost smother the plant so great is their profusion. We all take off our hats as they pass by and cheer for beauty." Price, 75 cents.

**HUMEI**—Very large, compact flower that is quite striking; color, cherry-pink, highly cinnamon scented. This is an old standby, being used largely for cut flowers. Price, 35 cents.

**JENNY LIND**—Large bloom on long stems; tall grower; free bloomer; color light pink with silvery reflex with narrow white petals interspersed with the center petalage; a most striking variety. Price, 50 cents.



Peony, Marie Lemoine.

**LADY DERBY**—A very tall, strong growing plant, bearing flowers of gigantic size, very double and full, borne in immense clusters; color pure white overlaid with a flush of delicate pink, tinged yellow at the base of the petals. A plant of this Peony in full bloom will startle you, and is a sight never to be forgotten; extra fine. Price, 75 cents.

**LADY LEONORA BRAMWELL**—Very large, full, compact flowers; uniform color of bright violet rose, with silvery-reflex that is very brilliant; has an occasional carmine spot on central petalage. Don't forget this one. Price, 50 cents.



Peony, Monsieur Jules Elie.

(See description on page 16.)

**LA TULIPE**—Enormous, globular, fragrant flowers, delicate blushing-white, shading to ivory-white, with red tulip markings on outside of guard petals. Again we quote Harrison: "There is no Peony so attractive in bud as this. First a ball interlaced with green, red and white. As it grows these interlacings become pronounced. There is no bloom whose unfoldings you watch with greater interest. It finally opens a solid ball of softest blush with streaks of carmine. There it sits in all its beauty, a glorious flower in a chalice of veined marble, emitting a delightful perfume." Price, 75 cents.

**LEVIATHAN**—Flowers of remarkable size and freshness in huge clusters, full and double, of unusual perfection of form. Color, apple blossom-pink, with each petal silver tipped. Fragrance agreeable and penetrating; magnificent. Price, 50 cents.

**LOUIS VAN HOUTTE**—Very fine, shapely bloom. Color, bright violaceous-red of dazzling effect; superb. Price, 35 cents.

**MADAME DE VERNEVILLE**—Bomb type, early. One of the most charming varieties on the market. Guard petals are pure white, very large and folding over the flower; the blooms are very full and double, of the purest white suffused with daintiest blush except a few cream-colored petals and four red flakes on central petals; exceptionally free. I have counted sixty-five large, perfect blooms on one plant open at the same time. Certainly a wonder. Price, 35 cents.

**MARIE JACQUIN**—What shall I say of this large, glorious flower? Color glossy rosy-white, with rose tinge on buds, with a great wealth of golden-yellow stamens in the center, which gives it a very chaste and elegant appearance. When first planted the blooms come single, but after becoming established it is semi-double. The flowers of this charming variety suggest our native white Water Lily; fragrance very rich and languorous. This is quite dissimilar from all other Peonies and is a prime favorite with everybody, especially the ladies. Price, 50 cents.

**MARIE LEMOINE**—Undoubtedly Calot's masterpiece. The flowers are enormous and massive. Color ivory-white with occasional narrow carmine tracings on edge of some petals. The gigantic blooms come very late on stout, erect stems standing well above the foliage. A good commercial variety, and a sort the Peony enthusiast raves over, and well he may. Price, 75 cents.

**MARIE STUART**—Good sized flower; guard petals broad; color soft pink, center sulphur-white with a prominent crown flecked with crimson; fragrant. Price, 35 cents.

**MASTERPIECE**—Brilliant Tyrian-rose; free bloomer; a very distinct and beautiful variety; fine grower. Price, 50 cents.

## PEONIES DESCRIBED—Concluded

**MONSIEUR JULES ELIE**—This is the king of all Peonies, and is without question M. Crousse's masterpiece. Immense globular, very full flowers. Color an ideal glossy lilac-pink, shading to deeper rose at the base, the entire flower overlaid with a sheen of silver that fairly shimmers in the sunlight. Monsieur Jules Elie is the largest of all Peony flowers. On young, vigorous plants I have had flowers eight and nine inches through. In fact they are so large and handsome that but few can realize they are Peony blooms on first seeing them. An unapproachable variety from any standpoint. When cut in the bud a good keeper. Price, 75 cents.

**MONT BLANC**—Large, perfectly formed, snowball-shaped flowers; white guard petals, center sulphur-yellow; perfect habit; foliage and growth both quite distinct; follows *Festiva Maxima* and ranks with it. Fine for cut flowers; very free bloomer. The yellowest of all Peonies. Price, 35 cents.

**PRINCE IMPERIAL**—Flowers very double and full; color, deep, brilliant velvety-crimson. It makes a handsome plant, every flower standing up straight and erect well above the foliage. I think this one of the finest Peonies, probably the best general purpose crimson. Price, 50 cents.

**QUEEN VICTORIA**—The very best every-day white. When cut a first rate keeper. Flower of good substance and color; very pretty in the bud state, when it has a faint blush tint; an old standby. Price, 35 cents.

**SEA SHELL**—This is one of the grandest of Peonies, a tall grower, and is such a free bloomer that it completely hides the plant; the coloring is so refined as to instantly arrest attention, being a delicate, soft lilac-pink, with delicate but distinct rosy-pink spots difficult to describe. This is in every way a superior Peony. Price, 75 cents.

**VICTOR HUGO**—Extremely large, showy, perfectly built bloom; primary petals narrow and built up close and high; color very deep, rich, brilliant solferino-red. Indispensable. Price, 35 cents.

## OFFICINALIS SECTION These are Earlier Bloomers than the Chinensis Section

They are the old May Peonies of our mothers' gardens. Price, 30 cents each; the three for 75 cents.

**OFFICINALIS RUBRA (Fl. Pl.)**—The old-fashioned early deep crimson variety of our grandmothers' gardens.

**VICTOIRE TRICOLORE**—A tricolor bloom that has many admirers; color a combination of rose-pink and salmon, intermingled; an excellent bloomer. Price, 35 cents.

## SEEDLING PEONIES

You do not know what colored flower you will get, but every one will be handsome; many of them will be single and resemble huge butterflies of white, red, pink, crimson, etc., while others will be double. Be sure and try some of these seedlings. Do not ask me to send any special color, as no one knows the color until they bloom. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents; five for 50 cents; twelve for \$1.00.

## TREE PEONIES

This is a remarkable species, developed from Peony Mouton, a native of China and Japan. In habit of growth it is not unlike a deciduous shrub—the growths are short and stocky, the plant eventually attaining a height of four or more feet and of large circumference; the foliage is quite handsome, and the immense flowers, which usually appear some two weeks ahead of the herbaceous class, are most remarkable for their immense size and gorgeous colorings. Splendid for grouping or for specimen plants on lawns. While a hardy plant, it will be found desirable to give it some protection in very cold latitudes. All shoots springing from the base should be rubbed off; any color you desire. Price, 75 cents; two for \$1.25.

Remember that so long as I can ship Peonies safely during the spring months I will do so; after it becomes too late I will file your order for them and ship in the fall time.

## PEONIES TO COLOR

My Peonies to color you will find unsurpassed. They are fine large flowers with rich colors; free bloomers. The roots I offer are strong. Be sure and try them. I have these Peonies in white, red, pink and rose at 15c, four for 50c.

## BAINES GRAND GARDEN DAHLIAS

No garden is complete without a show of these brilliant and stately autumn flowers, and nothing gives greater return for so little money and care. I offer dry bulbs or tubers, but if stock of these becomes exhausted will send started plants. I grow and sell fifteen acres of Dahlias each year.

### CACTUS DAHLIAS

So-called from their resemblance to Cactus flowers. They are characterized by long, narrow, pointed, tubular and twisted petals of graded lengths, giving the flowers a striking and attractive appearance. Grand for cut flowers. Price, except where noted, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents; nine for \$1.00. The entire set of sixteen Cactus Dahlias costing \$2.80 for \$2.15.

**AEGIR**—Entirely distinct. Petals are twisted and incurved in the most irregular and pleasing manner. Color bright rich crimson-scarlet.

**AMOS PERRY**—The best bright scarlet Cactus to date. Color purest flaming-scarlet, with long, narrow twisted petals of irregular formation. The blooms are borne well above the foliage in the utmost profusion. Certainly a beauty. Price, 25 cents.

**AURORA**—The color is a remarkable shade of rich golden-amber, elegantly tinged and shaded with apricot and dark ruddy copper, shading lighter towards tips of petals, intensely beautiful and resembling in color a splendid after-glow. Price, 20 cents.

**CHARLES CLAYTON**—The strongest words of praise are not extravagant when applied to this wonderful new Cactus. It is the ideal in color, form, length of stem and general good habits, beyond which it would seem little could be hoped for. The color is a most intense crimson, so vivid as to dazzle the eye; superb. Price, 20 cents.

**COUNTESS OF LONSDALE**—For perfection of bloom, erectness of stem, abundance of flower, this variety has never yet been equaled. On several of the plants I have counted over 150 perfect blooms on one plant. Is there any other garden flower that can equal it? The color is a rich salmon-pink tinted apricot. The one best Dahlia, Price, 25 cents.

**COUNTRY GIRL**—Base of petals golden-yellow suffused with salmon-rose or old gold, which is deepest at the tips of petals.

**FLORADORA**—Deep, dark, rich wine-crimson, splendid shaped flowers on long upright wiry stems. Habit, ideal of perfection.

**HENRY SHOESMITH**—Bright crimson-scarlet; very narrow, long petals. In a class by itself.

**J. H. JACKSON**—This is without doubt the finest dark Cactus Dahlia. Its velvety-black crimson-maroon shade is very striking. Large and perfect.

### USUALLY CALLED MIXED PEONIES ALL DOUBLE FLOWERING

OFFICINALIS ROSEA (Fl. Pl.)—Very large, well-formed bloom, color deep pink; very brilliant and effective.

OFFICINALIS ALBA—(Mutabilis.) White striped with pink.

**KRIEMHILDE**—A magnificent variety bearing perfect flowers of fresh delicate pink shading to deep rose-pink. The center petals ultimately change to creamy-white, giving the mature flower a captivating pink and white effect.

**MRS. GEORGE STEVENSON**—This is the grandest clear yellow Cactus Dahlia to date. The petals are very long and narrow and stand well above the foliage. Extra fine. Price, 20 cents.

**RHINE QUEEN**—In this I believe I am offering the ideal White Cactus Dahlia, which has been a desideratum for a long time. It opens a white, with a delicate pearl-pink tint, quickly changing to a pure white. Certainly a most wonderful Dahlia. Price, 25 cents.

**STANDARD BEARER**—Bright, pure scarlet; flowers large and full to the center; of symmetrical and perfect form. Petals semi-quilled. Extraordinarily productive. One of the very best.

**STRAHLEIN KRONE**—Intense cardinal-red, very rich and glowing; of immense size.

**VESTA**—A beautiful shade of delicate light pink. Large full flowers borne on long stems; very good.

**WINSOME**—Pure white. Bears abundant masses of large, white flowers; very desirable.

## DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

These come next to the Cactus as a cut flower. They are also very showy in the garden, being unusually free bloomers. They are more formal in make-up than the Cactus Dahlias, but not as formal as the show varieties, being a happy medium between the two. Price, except where noted, 15 cents each, four for 50 cents, nine for \$1.00. The entire set of twenty-two Decorative Dahlias, costing \$4.55, for \$3.75.

**BLACK BEAUTY**—A beautiful dark velvety maroon, almost black. Price, 20 cents.

**BLUE OBAN**—This is the famous blue Dahlia. The color is a decided lavender-blue. A fine bloomer. Quite distinct and beautiful. Price, 25 cents.

**CATHERINE DUER**—(The Newport Dahlia.) For description, see first page of catalogue, and also see color-plate on fourth page of cover. Price, 20 cents.

**CLIFFORD W. BRUTON**—Immense size; color a clear, rich canary-yellow. Fine for cutting. Should be in every collection.

## Decorative Dahlias—Concluded

**FRANK L. BASSETT**—Color bright royal purple, shading to lavender-blue, an extremely early and profuse bloomer.

**JACK ROSE**—(New.) A magnificent flower with perfect form. Color rich crimson-red with maroon shadings. Named for its counterpart among Roses, the famous "General Jack."

**JEANNE CHARMET**—(New.) The ground color is pure white with each petal delicately suffused, edged and tipped into a pinkish lilac, each lingula being edged with a picotee edge of deep violet-red, producing a dainty effect that defies accurate description. The flowers are borne on long stems, and are six to eight inches across. No Dahlia to compare with it. ▲ wonder. Price, 40 cents each.

**KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA**—A grand white decorative Dahlia. The flowers are very large and bold. Color pure white. Price, 20 cents.

**LYNDHURST**—One of the very best bright scarlets. Invaluable for cutting. Large, perfectly formed, double to the center, with long stems. Charming.

**MADAME VAN DEN DAEL**—(New.) A grand flower of immense size and beautiful form. Color delicate shell-pink with deeper markings. Center changing to creamy-white. Often six to seven inches in diameter. An exceedingly attractive and beautiful Dahlia. Price, 20 cents.

**MADAME A. LUMIERE**—A very attractive variety. Pure white, with pronounced violet-red tips, an extremely handsome and showy variety. Should be in all collections. Price, 20 cents.

**MASTER CARL**—Color a bright amber. Very large and perfect form, with immense petals of graceful curve. Extra fine. Price, 20 cents.

**MATCHLESS**—Deep crimson, of large size; an early and late bloomer. This I consider one of the best ten Dahlias. Very showy in the garden.

**MRS. CHARLES TURNER**—See first page for description; also see fourth page of cover for this giant flower shown in colors. Price, 20 cents.

**MRS. ROOSEVELT**—See first page for description; also see fourth page of cover for this giant flower shown in colors. Price, 40 cents.

**OBAN**—Delicate mauve shaded to fawn. A very odd shape for a Dahlia, but presents an exquisitely effective appearance.

**PERLE LA TETE d'OR**—Pure white, large and exceedingly free blooming. Petals are split at tip, giving the flower a unique appearance. Very desirable.

**SOUVENIR DE GUSTAVE DOAZON**—See first page for description; also see fourth page of cover for this giant flower shown in colors. Price, 30 cents.

**WILHELM MILLER**—Brilliant purple. Very large and free.



Perle La Tete d'Or.

**WILLIAM AGNEW**—Intense glistening crimson-scarlet, of large size and gracefully recurving form. The most popular standard red.

**YELLOW LE COLOSSE**—A very large, bright yellow; perfect form, with full center. One of the best.

**ZULU**—Rich, deep maroon or jet black. Rightly named the Black Dahlia. Of fine form and full to the center.

## SHOW and FANCY DAHLIAS

These are the old-fashioned Dahlias of our mothers' gardens. Perfect in shape and outline. Price, except where noted, 15 cents each, four for 50 cents, nine for \$1.00. The entire set of twenty-three Show or Fancy Dahlias costing \$4.30, for \$3.50.

**APPLE BLOSSOM**—Beautiful pink, showing the many shades of the apple blossom; from faintest blush-pink to a deep rose color.

**ARABELLA**—Primrose-yellow, tipped and shaded old rose and lavender; very fine.

**CUBAN GIANT**—See first page for description; also see fourth page of cover for this giant flower shown in colors. Price, 25 cents.

**DOROTHY PEACOCK**—The most exquisitely beautiful bright sea shell-pink Dahlia on earth. The flowers are of fine form, while the color is that beautiful live, clear pink that appeals to everyone. Whether as a plant in the garden or for cut flowers, this new Dahlia has been the delight and admiration of all who have seen it. Price, 35 cents.

**DAWN OF DAY**—Buff tipped amber. A most striking color.

**FOSTER BARNES**—The flowers are large, perfect in form, full to the center. Outer petals cupped and slightly pointed; inner ones quilled, and all of the greatest substance. Color pure waxy white almost of tuberose texture with a tint of delicate lavender-pink touching the tips of the petals and lightly shading the heart of the flower. Sometimes the backs of the petals are suffused with the same delicate color. Price, 25 cents.

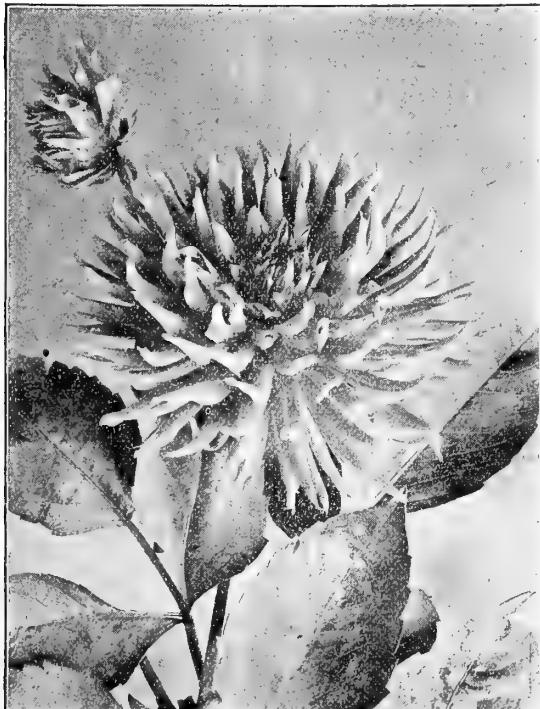
**GOLDEN AGE**—Sulphur-yellow. A free bloomer.

**GRAND DUKE ALEXIS**—This is one of the most delicately beautiful of all Dahlias. Very large, perfect form, with long, thick, quilled petals overlapping at the ends. White, slightly tinged and suffused delicate lavender. Ethereally beautiful. Price, 20 cents.

**GOLD MEDAL**—This is a variable Dahlia. Sometimes it comes bright yellow, splashed with scarlet, then again it comes a ruby-red, splashed yellow. It is a charming variety. Everybody admires it. Price, 20 cents.

**HOOSIER**—A grand new Dahlia of a beautiful rose-pink color, with shadings of deep rosy-crimson. Early profuse bloomer. Price, 20 cents.

**LUCY FAUCETT**—Pale yellow, striped deep pink or light magenta. Very free bloomer; fine.



Rhine Queen. (See description on page 16.)

## SHOW and FANCY DAHLIAS CONCLUDED

**MENFINE BEAUTY**—A glorious shade of rosy-red difficult to describe; a beauty.

**MISS MAY LOMAS**—Delicate pure white, suffused soft pink.

**MRS. WELLESLEY**—The same style flower as Apple Blossom, only the color is deeper; grand.

**PURPLE GEM**—Deep, rich, royal-purple; fine.

**QUEEN VICTORIA**—Pure canary-yellow. One of the freest bloomers. Good for cutting.

**ROBERT BROOMFIELD**—Pure snow-white. Of large size. A very free bloomer. Grand for cut-flowers. I recommend this variety.

**RUBY QUEEN**—A rich ruby-red that is very bright and dazzling. Fine, large flowers and long stems. Profuse bloomer.

**STORM KING**—(Blizzard.) Produces large, perfect shaped flowers on fine stems. By many said to be the finest of all white Show Dahlias. It often goes under the name of Blizzard from the fact that when in full bloom it resembles a bank of snow. Price, 25 cents.

**STRADELLA**—The color is deep purple-crimson, with deep cup-shaped petals that are loosely arranged. The flowers are perfectly round when in full bloom, borne on long graceful stems well above the foliage. Price, 20 cents.

**SYLVIA (Or Dolly)**—Flowers four to six inches in diameter; of fine form and full to the center, which is white, shaded to soft pink on the outer petals. In freedom of bloom next to Countess of Lonsdale. A magnificent Dahlia.

**WHITE SWAN**—Snow-white; of beautiful form, with long stems. Extra fine.

**W. W. RAWSON**—The popularity which this novelty has acquired in the short time it has been offered, speaks in itself for the superior features of this flower. The petals towards the center are quilled similar to **Grand Duke Alexis**. Toward the outer part they are more open and flat. The color is pure white, overlaid with amethyst-blue. This wonderful combination gives it the appearance of a delicate lavender. The flowers measure from seven to nine inches across. One of the very best Dahlias grown. Price, 30c.

## PEONY FLOWERED Dahlias

This is a new family of Dahlias, originating in Holland. They bear semi-double blooms, and are without question the showiest of all Dahlias. Be sure and try them. Price, except where noted, 35 cents each, the six Peony-flowered Dahlias costing \$2.25, for \$1.75.

**GEISHA**—The pride of the Peony-flowered Dahlias. This most sensational variety is the showiest and most attractive of this type in existence. The wonderful flowers are renowned for their excellent qualities; being exceptionally beautiful in color, perfect in form, grand in appearance and immense in size. The color of this acquisition is remarkable and attracts everybody's attention. It is a superb combination of brilliant scarlet and gold with an exquisite ring of rich, clear yellow at the center. Occasionally the first flower comes fully double, but all that follow show that beautiful golden center which combines to make this flower the most charming. Its form is very original, consisting of peculiarly twisted and curled petals. The effect of these phenomenal flowers is most pleasing, giving this variety the supreme place as the showiest Dahlia in existence. Stock limited of this acquisition. Price, 50 cents.

**GERMANIA**—A beautifully formed flower of wine color, and bright, glowing crimson, shaded with yellow. Very attractive. Stock limited. Price, 35 cents.

**KING LEOPOLD**—One of the finest of this collection, having large flowers of beautiful form. The color of this dainty variety is very pleasing, varying from cream-yellow to white. The well-formed flowers are produced on long, wiry stems, giving a unique appearance. Price, 35 cents.

**MRS. CHARLES L. SEYBOLD**—Color bright pink flushed with crimson, each petal tipped with white. A distinct and strikingly beautiful variety. Flowers abundantly produced on long graceful stems. A gem. Price, 35 cents.

**QUEEN EMMA**—A delightful sort that appears almost artificial. It is of a charming shade of Hollyhock-pink, the inner petals banded with gold. One of the most beautiful. Price, 35 cents.

**QUEEN WILHELMINA**—The flowers of this grand variety are snow white, with a center of golden-yellow. They look like huge butterflies on the plant. They are so light and airy. Extra fine. Price, 35 cents.

## COLLARETTE DAHLIAS

A new race of Dahlias from France. They have taken England by storm. No other Dahlias were mentioned in the account of their fall flower exhibitions. I only offer one variety.

**PRESIDENT VIGER**—Most beautiful and striking; rich, deep, blood-red, shading darker toward the base of the petals, with collar of small white petals, occasionally suffused with rosy-crimson. The flowers are always perfect, with eight petals, and it is an extremely early and profuse bloomer. A grand flower. Price, 35 cents.

## CENTURY DAHLIAS

This is an entirely new race of single Dahlias. I consider today that the new Century Dahlias occupy first place where beauty of coloring and artistic effect is desired. Owing to their immense size, long stems, graceful carriage, combined with their purity of color, or the blending of colors, shades and tints, they entirely outclass all other Dahlias for cut flowers. Keep each variety when cut in a separate vase. Price, except where noted, 25 cents each, the eight Century Dahlias, costing \$2.20, for \$1.75.

**FRINGED TWENTIETH CENTURY**—The flowers are large, always of perfect form. The stems are straight and graceful. The color is a bright rosy-red, with a large disc or zone of white. The best bloomer of all; grand. Price, 35 cents.

**GORGEIOUS**—Flowers are brilliant, dazzling scarlet without purple shade. Occasionally a white stripe or petal shows, which only enhances its beauty. Extra fine.

**GOLDEN CENTURY**—A grand acquisition. Color a canary-yellow on long stems; fine.

**LEONE**—Color pure white, with a delicate blush band. Very large and extremely showy.

**MAROON CENTURY**—Rich maroon, shaded royal-purple. Very large and velvety; superb.

**PINK CENTURY**—No one can conceive the exquisite delicacy of color, texture and finish without seeing the actual flower. The color is a delicate shell-pink, slightly suffused clear, soft pink. Price, 35 cents.

**TWENTIETH CENTURY**—This is the original variety from which all the other Centuries spring. The center of the petals are delicate blush-rose, while the center of the flower and tips of petals are purest white; very showy.

**WHITE CENTURY**—The flowers are of immense size, of a beautiful snow-white color. None of its color better.

## SINGLE DAHLIAS

These are not so large flowers as the Centuries, but are equally beautiful. Price, 20 cents each, the five Single Dahlias, costing \$1.00, for 75 cents.

**ANEMONE**—The flowers are pure white, of exquisite form, being so similar to the Single Anemone "Whirlwind" as to suggest the name.

**DOROTHY**—Golden-yellow with splashes of red.

**FLORABUNDA**—Soft lavender, with deep lavender zone around yellow center.

**GOLD STANDARD**—The best clear yellow Single Dahlia; fine.

**PAINTED LADY**—Deep rosy-red, with a distinct broad maroon stripe in each petal.



New Century Dahlia.

## POMPON DAHLIAS

This class is a miniature form of the Show and Fancy Dahlias, having the same round, ball-like form, but much smaller in size. The plants are also smaller. Of branching habit, producing the flowers in endless profusion. As they can be cut in sprays, they are valuable for bouquets and for small grounds; also useful as borders to beds of tall growing plants. Everybody loves them. Price, 15 cents each, four for 50 cents, nine for \$1.00. The entire set of eleven Pompon Dahlias, costing \$1.65, for \$1.25.

**BOBBY**—Deep plum or claret color.

**CATHERINE**—Bright buttercup-yellow. Excellent for cutting.

**FASCINATION**—Pink and lavender, sometimes splashed with white.

**FASHION**—A very pretty shade of old gold.

**HIGHLAND MARY**—Pink and lavender, with white. Ethereal beauty.

**LITTLE BEATRICE**—Blush-white; narrowly edged with delicate carmine.

**LITTLE HERMAN**—Deep red, tipped white; variable.

**ORIOLE**—A glowing shade of bright yellow.

**PURE LOVE**—Pure lilac; extra fine form.

**SNOW CLAD**—Early pure white. Extra free flowering. A most charming variety.

**VIVID**—Bright glowing scarlet. Extra free and fine.

### SPECIAL DAHLIA OFFER

The entire ninety-two distinct varieties of Dahlias as catalogued, costing, if ordered singly, \$19.10, sent for a remittance of \$13.50 net.

## HARDY PERENNIAL PHLOX

This is one of the most easily grown hardy perennials, and the large number of beautiful varieties now offered makes it especially desirable. These noble flowers are not only beautiful as individuals, but the cheerful appearance of our gardens during the summer and autumn months is much indebted to them. They succeed in any position or soil, and can be used to advantage either as single specimens in the mixed border or as large clumps or beds on the lawn. To produce the best results, however, they should have a rich, deep and rather moist soil, and let each clump have a space of from two to three feet in which to develop. They will continue to thrive for several years with little attention, as is attested by the fine clumps about old homesteads. The ease with which they are cultivated, their entire hardiness and the extended time of blooming, combined with the varied and beautiful coloring, make them especially valuable for garden planting. The Perennial Phlox usually commence to bloom in early summer, and are brilliant with color until after several frosts have come. They are admirably adapted for cemetery planting, also for a low hedge or screen to hide old fences and unsightly objects. Plant Phlox; they take care of themselves and get better each year. Price, 10 cents each, three for 25 cents, seven for 50 cents, fifteen for \$1.00

**ALCESTA**—Deep violet, shading almost to blue.

**ALHAMBRA**—Rich mauve; distinct.

**ATHIS**—Deep, clear salmon. Some claim this to be the showiest variety in cultivation.

**BERANGER**—Ground color white, delicately suffused with rosypink, and distinct eye of the same color; exquisitely marked.

**BEAUTY**—Delicate silvery-pink; a most beautiful sort.

**BRIDESMAID**—Pure white, clear carmine eye; blooms in large round heads; attractive.

**COQUELICOT**—The finest and brightest red of all the Phlox; the color is a bright orange-scarlet.

**DUGUESCLIN**—Rosy-lilac, distinctly rayed with lighter halo.

**ESCLARMONDE**—Clear rosy-lilac, deeper eye, exquisitely rayed and shaded.

**ECLAIREUR**—Clear rosy-magenta, with large lighter halo; large florets and magnificent bedder.

**FRAU VON LOSSBURG**—Pure snow-white.

**HUXLEY**—A rich lavender; color fine.

**HENRY MURGER**—Enormous pure white flowers, with very large, showy, deep carmine eye or center; fine florets and trusses; extra.

**INDEPENDENCE**—An excellent large-flowering early pure white; none better.

**KOSSUTH**—Rich deep purple. Extra fine.

**LA VOGUE**—A beautiful rose color with large eye of deeper rose color; very attractive.

**LA PERLE DU NORD**—Pure white; large, deep, distinct red eye; extra fine.

**LE MAHDI**—Dark violet-purple.

**L'ESPERANCE**—Clear rosylilac; large white eye distinctly rayed; large florets and an even bloomer.

**LOTHAIR**—Clear, even carmine, deep crimson eye.

**MADAME P. LANGIER**—Clear crimson, deeper eye; considered one of the best.

**MISS LINGARD**—Pearly-white flower, with a very faint pink eye; very remarkable bloomer, producing two to three crops of flowers during the season. Indispensable as a cut flower for florists' use.

**MACULATA**—Tall-growing, many-branched, pyramidal trusses of bright reddish, almost royal purple; the freest and showiest in permanent border; a grand acquisition to the hardy Phlox.

**MRS. DWYER**—Pure white with distinct red eye.

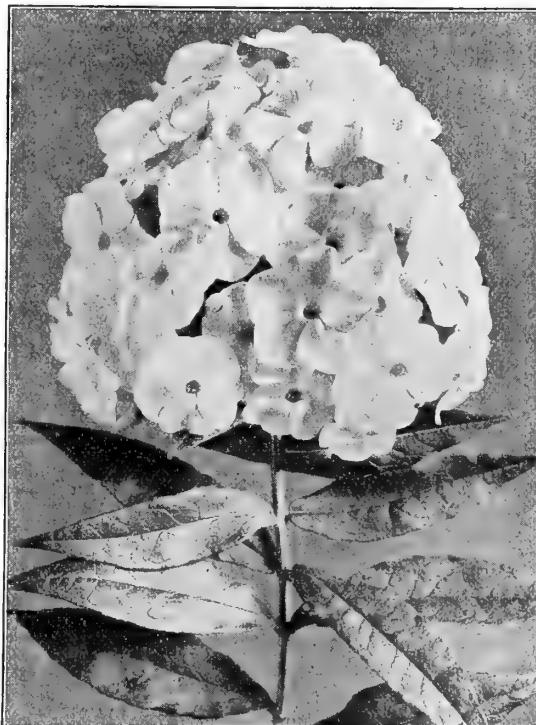
**NIobe**—The deepest, darkest, richest colored of all Phlox—velvety violet-red with crimson hues; grand trusses.

**PEACHBLOW**—Delicate, peachblow-pink, shading to white; large trusses; elegant.

**PANTHEON**—Large, clear, deep, bright pink with faint halo; a charming variety.

**PRIME MINISTER**—Deep carmine center, shading to white at the edges of petals; large trusses; free bloomer; exceptionally fine.

**RUBUS**—A parti-colored variety, rosy-red shading to white.



Hardy Phlox Independence.

**RICHARD WALLACE**—Pure white, with violet-rose eye; large flowers in immense panicles. Too much cannot be said of this variety.

**R. P. STRUTHERS**—In my estimation the very best Phlox grown today—it has no faults. Color, clear cherry-red, suffused with salmon shades; deep red eye; fine large truss. Color is so clear and clean that each individual floret stands out as distinct as a cameo.

The Entire Set of Thirty-One Distinct and Beautiful Varieties of Hardy Phlox for \$2.00.

# BEAUTIFUL FERNS

## FOR HOUSE CULTURE



New Fern, "Teddy Junior."

**"TEDDY JUNIOR," the Fern for Every Household**—This magnificent Fern has never before been offered for sale by any florist or catalogue firm. It is a sport from the now famous Roosevelt Fern, and while its habit of growth is to produce a shorter frond, it retains all the valuable characteristics of the parent plant. The fronds are broad and beautifully tapered from base to tip; they droop just enough to make a shapely, graceful plant, permitting it to finish with a fine full center and perfect symmetrical spread. The pinnae are distinctly undulated, giving the fronds an attractive wavy appearance, which adds materially to their charming decorative effect, and thin, scraggy foliage is never seen in this variety. "Teddy" will produce about four times more fronds than any other Fern ever introduced, finishing with fifty to sixty fronds in a four-inch pot, while twelve to fifteen is the average number other varieties will produce in the same size pot. It is such a compact, vigorous grower that it will thrive under most adverse conditions, making an exceptionally rapid growth and producing a plant of rare beauty and perfection in the average dwelling house without special care or attention. Owing to its habit of producing the great quantity of massive foliage in small pots, this Fern makes the finest pedestal plant ever produced, and will prove indispensable for decorating dining room or library tables and numerous other places in the home where limited space will not permit using large pots or varieties with longer fronds. **Fine young plants, 40 cents each, three for \$1.00. Strong plants, 75 cents each, two for \$1.25. Extra strong plants, \$1.00 each.**

**THE NEW CRESTED FERN (Nephrolepis Scholzeli.)** This is the great Crested Fern that has set all the Fern lovers to talking. Everyone admires it and sings its praises. The growth is bushy and compact, each pinna is crested, giving it a distinct and unique appearance. This Fern is a model of beauty. **Fine young plants, 30 cents.**

**THE FLUFFY RUFFLES FERN (Nephrolepis Superbissima.)** This new Fern is quite different from all other Ferns. Its distinguishing characteristics are its dark green foliage, darker than any other Fern, its dense growth being much more compact, and its irregular shaped fronds which gives it the name of "Fluffy Ruffles Fern." The fronds are very heavily imbricated, the pinnae overlapping and are so formed as to resemble miniature Ferns, giving it the appearance of a Fern within a Fern. The plant is very sturdy in its habit and the fronds firm and rigid, never break down, so that it will stand more knocking around than any other Fern. The possessor of this new Fern has a distinct and different plant from all the other Ferns. It is a plant that needs to be seen to have its great value and sterling qualities appreciated. **Fine young plants, 30 cents each. Strong plants, 65 cents each.**

**THE OLD ORIGINAL SWORD FERN (Nephrolepis Exaltata.)** This is the parent Sword Fern from which all the Nephrolepis in commerce sprung. The fronds are narrow, and grow upright, making it a most useful variety on this account for centers of vases, for which purpose it is used by the florists by the thousand. **Fine young plants, 25 cents.**

**THE TARRYTOWN FERN (Nephrolepis Piersonii.)** An entirely new form of the Boston Fern. The pinnae subdivide, making miniature fronds which are superimposed on the main fronds, looking as if two or even three were condensed in one, giving the plant a graceful, feathery and plump effect. This plant took the only gold medal ever awarded by the Society of American Florists. **Fine young plants, 30 cents.**

There are no plants grown that are more desirable for the house than these fine decorative Ferns. They are easily grown, free from insects and disease, and thrive well in the ordinary living-room. See that the plants have plenty of drainage and are kept well watered; never let dry out for any length of time.

**ROOSEVELT (Nephrolepis Roosevelti.) (New.)** The Grandest and Greatest of all Ferns. There is absolutely no Fern to compare with this charming new variety. It is a wonder. **Fine young plants, 35 cents. Strong plants, 75 cents; extra strong plants, \$1.25.**



Fronds of the New Roosevelt Fern, showing wavy effect.

**PHILADELPHIA LACE FERN (Nephrolepis Elegantissima.)** This without question stands in a class by itself among Ferns. It belongs to the true Ostrich Plume type of Fern, and has this decided advantage over the others of never reverting to the Boston type. Its fronds are long, graceful and airy, resembling delicate lace. A most remarkable variety, a perfect jewel amongst Ferns. Do not fail to get this. **Fine young plants, 25 cents. Strong plants, 65 cents. Extra strong plants, \$1.00.**

**THE NEWPORT FERN (Nephrolepis Scottii.)** This Fern is all the rage at fashionable Newport. Identical with the Boston Fern, except it is smaller in all of its parts, and more compact, and will make more fronds in a given length of time. The fronds are lighter green than any of the Nephrolepis. The plants are never straggly, always making a shapely plant. **Fine young plants, 25 cents. Strong plants, 60 cents.**

**The Wonderful New Fern BABY'S BREATH (Nephrolepis Goodii.)** This has the finest foliage of all the Ferns. It is so delicate that a lady on seeing it exclaimed, "Call it the Baby's Breath Fern, as it is so dainty in texture that a baby's breath would set its fluffy foliage in motion." It gives the impression of fine lace work, and has been named in the East the Philadelphia Lace Fern. It is a much finer Fern than Nephrolepis Amerophylla. Whatever name you call it by, it is a beauty. My reputation for it that no Fern in existence can compare with it in fluffiness. **Fine young plants, 35 cents. Strong plants, 75 cents each.**

**THE OSTRICH PLUME FERN (Nephrolepis Whitmanii.)** A great Fern. In fact, it is a plant that appeals to everyone, and on that account will prove a much more valuable and profitable plant than the Boston Fern, which has had the most phenomenal sale of any decorative plant that has ever been grown, but which cannot be compared to the Ostrich Fern for beauty and general effectiveness. Everyone who has seen it is charmed with it. As someone has expressed it, "There is nothing like the Ostrich Plume Fern in cultivation. In decorative effect it so far outdistances the original variety that there is positively no comparison to be made. We consider it the most valuable novelty that has been introduced in many, many years." It has taken gold medals wherever shown. **Fine young plants, 25 cents each. Strong plants, 65 cents each. Extra strong plants, \$1.00.**

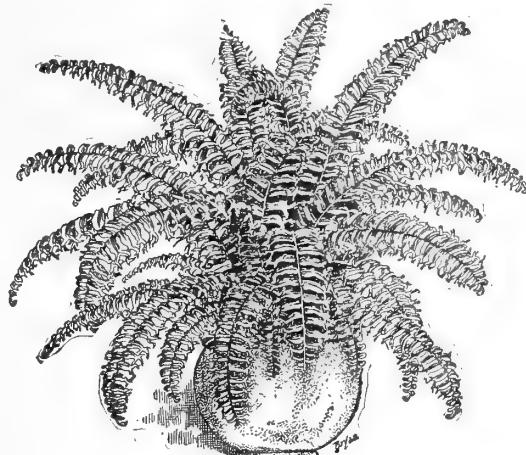
# BEAUTIFUL FERNS--Concluded

**BOSTON OR FOUNTAIN FERN** (*Nephrolepis Exaltata Bostoniensis*.) In the vicinity of Boston no other plant is so extensively used as this graceful *Nephrolepis*, which differs from the ordinary Sword Fern in having much longer fronds, which frequently attain a length of six feet. These arch and droop over very gracefully, on account of which it is frequently called the Fountain Fern. This drooping habit makes it an excellent plant to grow as a single specimen on a table or pedestal. This Fern should not be compared to the Ostrich Plume Fern, as they are of an entirely different growth; both have their place and both are beautiful and desirable. Fine young plants, 20 cents. Strong plants, 50 cents. Extra strong plants, \$1.00.

**THE FISH TAIL FERN** (*Nephrolepis Davalliooides Furcans*.) This is a grand Fern, entirely distinct from any of the other varieties of *Nephrolepis*. Throughout the South and especially at New Orleans this Fern takes precedence over all others. The ends of each pinna are so formed as to resemble a fish tail, giving the fronds a crested appearance, very effective. It grows into the most showy plant of any of the *Nephrolepis*. Grand for house culture. Fine young plants, 35 cents each.

**THE SILVER FERN** (*Pteris Argyrea*.) This is called the Silver Fern from the broad line of silvery-white that runs through each frond. A most beautiful Fern. Price, 20c.

**THE SHAKING FERN** (*Pteris Tremula*.) The foliage of this variety is fine and graceful, and is much sought after. It grows rapidly and soon makes a handsome plant. Price, 20c.



The Fish Tail Fern.



Boston or Fountain Fern.



Dwarf Ferns in Fern Dish. Elegant table decoration.

## DWARF FERNS FOR FERN DISHES

I have selected a few of the hardiest and most satisfactory varieties for filling Fern dishes, than which there is no prettier table decoration. Price, 10 cents each; or I will send seven distinct Dwarf Ferns for 60 cents; or thirteen distinct Dwarf Ferns for \$1.00. These will make a full Fern dish for the dining table that will be a joy to your heart.

**ASPIDIUM TSUSSIMENSE**—The most valuable for Fern dishes; of strong, but dwarf and graceful habit, of good color and of the best keeping qualities. A clean, good grower, and very ornamental.

**CYRTOMIUM FALCATUM** (Or Holly Fern)—A beautiful and rapidly growing Fern that succeeds exceedingly well, small plants making fine specimens in a very short time. Fronds resemble branches of holly, from which it takes its name.



Dwarf Fern, *Pteris Multiceps*.

**PTERIS CRETICA ALBO-LINEATA**—A very pretty and useful variegated Fern, with silver markings.

**PTERIS MULTICEPS**—A charming low-growing Fern with finely fringed fronds. Extra.

**PTERIS VICTORIA**—A grand Dwarf Fern, with elegant cut leaves or fronds, the center of which is distinctly marked with silver.

**PTERIS WILSONII**—The most beautiful of all crested Ferns.

**PTERIS WIMSETTI**—A beautiful low-growing Fern, suitable for table dishes. This is a leader for many florists' use.

# Dwarf Ever-Blooming Canna Lilies

Nothing has grown so much in favor with the average flower lover as the Ever-Blooming Canna Lilies. They succeed well anywhere, and the list given below is at such prices as will give everyone a chance to have a few, if not a whole collection, of these popular flowers.

Price, plants to bloom this summer, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents. Any five for 50 cents. The set of ten for 90 cents. These are the best varieties in cultivation. Always in bloom. They are not like the old varieties of Cannas that seldom flower, but are always covered with large, handsome trusses of bloom. Be sure and give them a trial.

**DAVID HARUM**—Dark bronze foliage, fine large flowers of bright vermillion-scarlet dotted with crimson spots. Three and one-half feet.

**EGANDALE**—Foliage dark red with large scarlet flowers of nice form and excellent substance. Three and one-half feet.

**FLORENCE VAUGHAN**—Very large blooms; bright yellow, heavily dotted with scarlet. Four feet.

**MADAME BERAT**—Pure soft pink flowers. A variety admired by all. Four feet.

**MADAME CROZY**—Bright red with narrow margin of golden-yellow on edge of each petal. Three feet.

**PARTENOPE**—A pure rich orange-gold. Has a good habit of growth; large flower. Four and a half feet.

**PILLAR OF FIRE**—Flowers bright crimson-scarlet borne in erect spikes like blazing torches. Continuous bloomer. Five and one-half feet.

**PAUL MARQUAND**—One of the most satisfactory Cannas. Color rich salmon-red. Four feet.

**RICHARD WALLACE**—Foliage very dark green; flowers deep, rich orange. Five feet.

**WYOMING**—Bronze foliage, with beautiful orange-colored flowers; very majestic.

## New Ever-Blooming Canna Lilies

**Grand New Canna, KING HUMBERT**—This is the grandest of all Cannas, no other variety compares with it. The foliage is rich bronze or red of the most tropical growth. The flowers as large as the largest of the orchid-flowering Cannas. Color is bright rich orange-scarlet striped with crimson. This variety is the best of all. **Four feet, 25 cents each.**

**MARTHA WASHINGTON**—The Best Pink. Strong grower, and one of the freest blooming Cannas I have ever seen. Flowers are of large size, with well-rounded petals, good substance and not too compact. Color is bright, clear pink. Considered by experts to be one of the best Cannas ever introduced. It is the only bright pink Canna. Extra fine. **Three feet, 25 cents each.**

**CRIMSON BEDDER**—The best of its color, and the finest of all bedding Cannas. Of compact habit, with abundance of bright green, glaucous foliage, always clean and fresh, and the earliest and freest bloomer of all. Florets large and open, in large, compact trusses, bright, glowing crimson, borne in such masses as to produce a literal blaze of color. It sheds, or cleans itself, admirably, and far surpasses in every way all crimson Cannas for bedding. **Three feet, 20 cents each.**

**DUKE OF MARLBORO**—Deep, rich velvety-maroon; a wonder. **Four feet, 25 cents each.**

**SHENANDOAH**—Beautiful bronze foliage; flowers of a most beautiful rose-pink. **Four and one-half feet, 20 cents.**

**GLADIATOR**—Visitors walking through my Canna fields stop short in front of "Gladiator" every time. It seems to insist upon being looked at. Color yellow spotted with red. **Four and one-half feet, 25 cents.**

**JEAN TISSOT**—Clear scarlet. One of the brightest and best. Price, 20 cents.

**THE SEVEN NEW PEDIGREE CANNAS**, costing \$1.60, for \$1.10. This is a great bargain, and enables you to get the best in Cannas at a nominal cost.



New Canna, King Humbert.

## GIANT ORCHID FLOWERING CANNA LILIES

Price, 15 cents each; any two for 25 cents; the set of seven, costing \$1.05, for 85 cents.

**AUSTRIA**—Gigantic in size; with leaves fifteen to eighteen inches long, and eight to ten inches broad; flowers six to seven inches across and borne erect in large, bold trusses; color pure deep golden-yellow, vigorous grower. Three and one-half feet.

**ALLEMANIA**—The outer petals are bright scarlet, with a broad yellow border, the inside colors being scarlet and dark red, beautifully mottled and variegated; exceedingly showy and handsome. Four and one-half feet.

**LOUISIANA (New Grand Prize Giant-Flowering Canna Lily)**—At the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis, where all the finest Cannas were on exhibition, Louisiana was pronounced the finest Orchid-flowering kind in existence. Height five and one-half to six feet. Its flowers are like beautiful Orchids; size often more than seven inches across, and every inch a vivid scarlet. It blooms tremendously, often four or five stalks flowering at once. You cannot conceive of anything more gorgeous. Its intense brilliancy and beauty are simply indescribable. **Six feet.**

**FREDERIC BENARY**—An early and free bloomer. Its flowers are currant-red with orange throat and yellow edge. Five feet.

**INDIANA**—Bears big clusters of Orchid-like flowers; color a glistening golden-orange daintily marked and striped with red, often six inches across. Five feet.

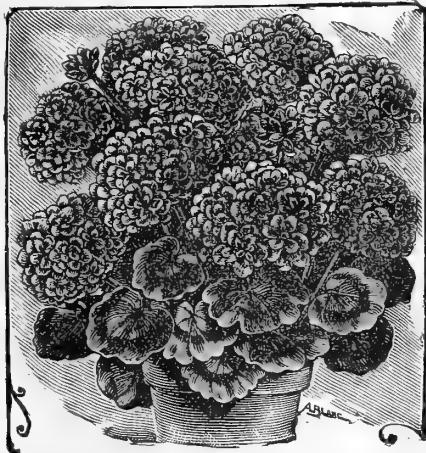
**MRS. KATE GRAY**—This is an extraordinarily grand Canna in every way. Flowers are of gigantic size, measuring six inches in diameter. In color the flowers are very brilliant, deep orange, round and full, and are thrown high above the foliage, making them very showy and effective. It is one of the most effective bedders I have. **Four and one-half feet.**

**PENNSYLVANIA**—I ask particular attention to this grand new American Hybrid Orchid-Flowering Canna, because in addition to being one of the largest and most magnificent varieties ever introduced it is the only pure deep red flowering sort in the Orchid-flowering class. The flowers are immense, often seven inches across, with petals two and one-half inches broad, borne in splendid branching spikes. **Four and one-half feet.**

# DOUBLE GERANIUMS

## THE BEST THERE ARE

Price, 10 cents each, except where noted; any six priced at 10 cents for 50 cents.



**ALPHONSE RICARD**—A most beautiful shade of bright vermillion; large flowers and enormous trusses; a grand variety.

**BEAUTE POITEVINE**—Beautiful shade of shrimp-pink, gradually shading to white; a universal favorite.

**BERTHA DE PRESILLY**—Magnificent silver rose-pink flowers. Produces splendid trusses the entire season.

**COMTESSE DE HARCOURT**—Beautiful florets and enormous trusses of pure white. Stands the sun well.

**E. H. TREGO**—A beautiful shade of dazzling scarlet with a pleasing soft, velvety finish on a saffron ground. Excellent. The trusses are so freely produced as to nearly conceal the foliage.

**FIREFRAND**—The brightest, richest orange-scarlet; none better.

**FRANCES E. WILLARD**—A grand Geranium from any viewpoint. Color a delicate shell-pink. A most charming piece of shading. Price, 15 cents.

**HETERANTHE, or Double General Grant**—Color of the flower is a light vermillion-red of a most pleasing shade. The flowers are absolutely perfect in shape, contour and make-up, trusses exceptionally large and borne in immense spherical balls, often measuring eight inches in diameter. It does finely in the open ground, and is perfectly reliable as a bedding Geranium of the highest merit. It makes a compact, dense growth, and has all the qualities that go to make the perfect bedding that it is. Fine also in pots. The very finest scarlet bedding.

**HUBERT CHARRON**—Center white; each petal is edged with rosy-red. A lovely flower. Price, 15 cents.

**JEAN VIAUD**—This is the best large-flowering double pink Geranium in cultivation. Anyone seeing a specimen truss cannot fail to become enthusiastic over it, pronouncing it the largest and finest Geranium in cultivation. The flowers are borne on bold trusses of enormous size, almost spherical, and as many as sixty florets have been counted on a single truss. The color is the richest deep pink, shading near the base of the petals to light pink, the base of the upper petals creamy-white.

**JOHN DOYLE**—This is claimed by all growers to be the very best bright red bedding Geranium extant. Certainly a grand variety; superb.

**LA FAVORITE**—In this Geranium we believe we have the finest double white Geranium in cultivation. The flowers are borne in large trusses of the purest snow-white, retaining this pure whiteness even in the height of summer, and for winter blooming they are all that can be desired. Do not fail to add this charming variety to your collection.

**MADAME BARNEY**—A profuse bloomer; florets of enormous size; color a deep, pure pink. A perfect bedding. Price, 15 cents.

**MADAME BUCHNER**—Strong, vigorous plant, adorned with magnificent flowers of snow-white. Price, 15 cents.

**MADAME CANOVAS**—Immense flowers of brilliant scarlet with maroon shadings; fine bedding. Price, 15 cents.

**MADAME JAULIN**—A continual bloomer; color day-break-pink, shading to a delicate peach-pink; enormous trusses.

**MADAME LAUDRY**—A distinct salmon-pink with a slight scarlet shading. Enormous trusses and florets borne on long stems.

**MADAME RECAMIER**—A strong and vigorous grower, bearing double snow-white flowers; grand. Price, 15 cents.

**MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE**—This is a deep solferino in color. It has a splendid habit, and the color is decidedly unique and bright for a Geranium. An exceptionally striking variety.

**MISS FRANCES PERKINS**—A constant bloomer of a charming deep rose-pink color, with a distinct white throat; stands the climate well.

**MRS. LAWRENCE**—This is one of the finest Geraniums. The color is an artistic shade of bright satiny salmon-pink, slightly tinged white. Price, 15 cents.

**S. A. NUTT**—This is the darkest and richest Geranium known. It is a very bright, dark, deep, rich, velvety-maroon, an excellent bedding and a perfect pot plant. One that must find its way into every collection.

# SINGLE GERANIUMS

## NONE FINER THAN THESE VARIETIES

Price, 15 cents each. Will send four single Geraniums, our selection of varieties, for 50 cents.

**ALBION**—One of the finest single whites. Pure in color; immense in size; of circular form.

**ALICE OF VINCENNES**—White ground with charming gradation of colors from the throat through a beautiful shade of violet-crimson to a deep scarlet margin. Distinct and charming.

**DRYDEN**—A most gorgeous flower borne profusely; bright cochineal-red, shading to pure white throat.

**GENERAL GRANT**—The old standby as a bright red bedding Geranium. It is a mass of scarlet all summer. It has no superior.

**GENERAL LEONARD WOOD**—A bright crimson-rose color, with large white blotch; very bright and fine.

**HOFGARTNER EICHLER**—Dark crimson, shading to maroon; very dark and beautiful.

**JULIA MARLOWE**—Broad overlapping petals of bright scarlet. A splendid round flowered variety.

**L' AUBE**—Enormous sized trusses, large, round florets, pure snow-white, retaining its pureness the entire season.

**MADAME MOSNAY**—A magnificent shade of red. Upper petals shaded violet to a white center; unsurpassed.

**MADEMOISELLE ANASTASIE LE CADRE**—Rich crimson-carmine lake, shading through a maculated effect to a pure white center. Extra fine.

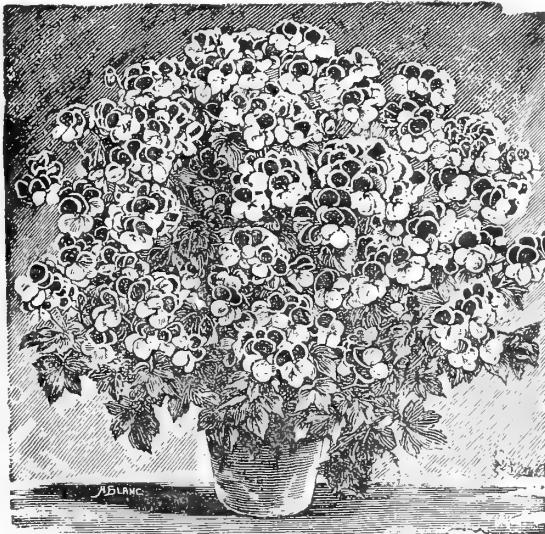
**MRS. E. G. HILL**—A profuse bloomer of a soft light salmon. Each petal bordered with rose-salmon. Exquisite.

**PAMELA**—Immense round flowers, with a large, pure white center, shading through a maculated effect to a broad, distinct outer margin of crimson lake.

**PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT**—Pure snow-white, retaining its purity the entire season. Perfectly formed round flowers, borne in enormous trusses.

**RICHMOND BEAUTY**—A brilliant scarlet-crimson with large, white feather on the two upper petals; florets round. Color clear and striking.

**W. A. CHALFANT**—Dazzling scarlet florets, slightly circular and slightly cupped, forming a magnificent truss; grand bedding.



Pansy Geranium. (See description on page 24.)

## Pelargonium or Lady Washington Geraniums

The grandest of all flowering plants; do not resemble the common Geraniums in any particular, neither in foliage nor flower; more beautiful in every way. I here offer twelve distinct sorts, every one entirely different in color and every one a beauty. The Lady Washington Geraniums are the handsomest of all flowers—once seen, never forgotten.

Price, 35 cents each; any three of your selection for \$1.00; the entire set of twelve beautiful sorts for \$3.00.

**CAPTAIN RAIKES**—A grand ruffled or fringed variety, with very large flowers borne in large, fine-shaped trusses; color bright red, with lighter center, with heavy maroon blotches in upper petals.

**CRIMSON KING**—Rich bright red, with lovely ruffled violet throat; distinct.

**DOROTHY**—It is a perpetual blooming variety, usually commencing to bloom in December or January, and continuing throughout the spring and summer. The throat and edges of the petals are pure white, each shaded toward the center with rich carmine-pink, with a glowing crimson blotch on each. We have always been unable to supply the demand, but now have a fine stock of plants to offer.

**GOLD MINE**—Rosy-scarlet, with white throat; each upper petal has a shining black blotch.

**GAMBETTA**—Brilliant dark red, with distinct black blotches on each petal.

**LINDA**—Rosy-salmon; two upper petals black spotted; a grand sort.

**MRS. ROBERT SANDIFORD**—(The New Double White.) The flowers are three inches across, of the purest snow-white, and perfectly double and very free in bloom. You cannot imagine anything prettier.

**MADAME THIBAUT**—(The New Double Pink.) The flowers are three inches in diameter, perfectly double, of the brightest pure pink, beautifully ruffled edges; very free in bloom.

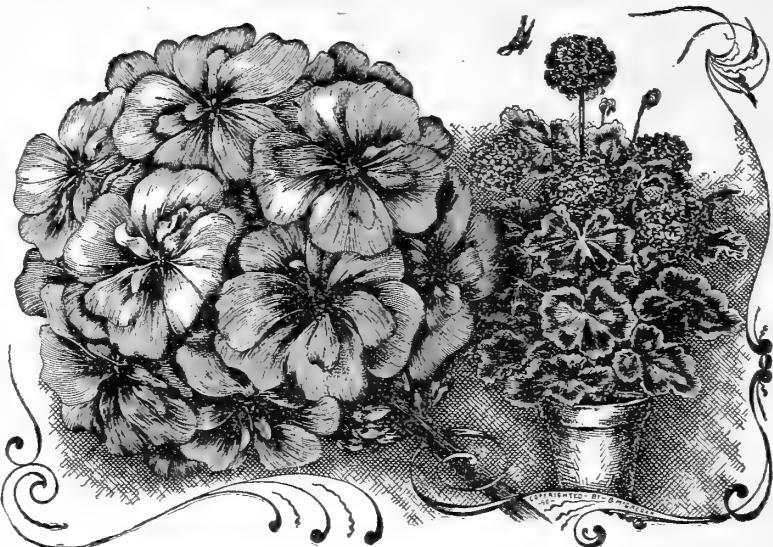
**MARIE MALLET**—Lower petals white, upper petals black, bordered red; elegant.

**MRS. BRADSHAW**—Large flower, pure white, with each petal showing dark maroon center.

**PRINCE GEORGE**—Clear pink, each petal blotched crimson. Considered by many who have seen it to be the prettiest.

**VICTOR**—The flowers are a bright cherry-red, with white at the base of each petal; the two upper petals are dark crimson-maroon. The flowers are of immense size and are very freely produced.

**REMEMBER**, the above twelve, the most beautiful of all Geraniums, for \$3.00. There is nothing to compare with these for beauty in the plant line.



## PANSY GERANIUM

### A WONDERFUL PLANT

This new and beautiful Pansy Geranium is of the easiest growth, dwarf in habit, and literally covered with flowers all the time, and as it requires little or no attention, it is invaluable as a window plant. The coloring and markings of the flowers are most extraordinary—light pink, white, dark purple, black, etc., almost rivaling the Pansy in uniqueness of flower. It is this combination of coloring which obtained for it the popular name of Pansy Geranium. Strong plants, ready to bloom, 35 cents each.

### SWEET-SCENTED GERANIUMS

**APPLE-SCENTED GERANIUM**—This has the true ripe apple-scented foliage. A great favorite. Price, 25 cents.

**ROSE**—The famous sweet rose-scented Geranium; very fragrant. Price, 10 cents.

## CARNATION PINKS The Divine Flower

For beauty of flower and color, ease of culture, certainty and freedom of bloom, together with exquisite fragrance, this is well called the "Divine Flower." Plants in the open ground or in pots quickly make large specimens, and when brought indoors in the fall produce an abundance of flowers throughout the entire winter. Carnation blooms are expensive; don't buy them—grow them yourself. Pinch the plant back frequently during the summer season. In the fall bring indoors, place in a four or five-inch pot, keep in a temperature of forty to fifty degrees at night, and they will yield an immense number of flowers with splendid stems, as fine as those sold by florists. If not pinched in they will bloom profusely during the summer. I offer the finest varieties in existence. Your order is incomplete without some Carnations.

### EXCELSIOR COLLECTION OF CHOICEST CARNATIONS

Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents; seven for 50 cents; set of nine Excelsior Carnations, postpaid, for 65 cents.

**ABUNDANCE**—Flowers very large and perfect in form; color a bright rosy-pink, with salmon shading when the flowers are fully expanded. A very healthy grower and remarkably free bloomer. Plant dwarf, growing about fourteen inches high. This I consider one of the best pink varieties ever offered, and an excellent variety for pot culture.

**BON TON**—This is by far the darkest Carnation ever seen, and at the same time the most abundant bloomer. Brilliant dark red, shaded with richest maroon, fringed petals, nearly every flower being on a long stem. This variety surpasses in richness of color the most perfect Jacqueminoit Roses.

**DELLA FOX**—Its color is almost indescribable. Of a rosy-orange shade, striped and flaked with carmine, never bursts its calyx, is very free and early flowering, and can always be cut with a long stem, a most desirable feature in the colored Carnation nowadays.

**ESTELLE**—One of the most fragrant Carnations I have seen. Color a clear, bright, glowing scarlet; a most continuous bloomer and distinct in color from any other sort offered. Greatly admired by all who have seen it growing here.

**GENEVIEVE LORD**—As large as the largest light pink ever offered. A few blooms last season measured nearly four inches. It has taken first prizes wherever offered.

**JUBILEE**—Very dwarf, and of a nice, bushy growth, forcing very long flower stems, each individual flower possessing a stem varying from three to eight inches in length. It has perfectly formed flowers; color a rich, bright dazzling scarlet. I unhesitatingly recommend this sort.

**MORNING GLORY**—This variety has been greatly admired wherever it has been seen for its desirable color, being a beautiful light pink satin color; flowers large size and very freely produced. Plant of grand habit and vigorous growth. It is a superb variety.

**WHITCOMB RILEY**—The ground color is the faintest blush, lightly penciled in soft pink. The bloom is fluffy in appearance, exquisitely beautiful in form. One of the grandest of all Carnations.

**WHITE CLOUD**—This is the largest white Carnation in cultivation—often measures four inches in diameter. The flowers are of the purest white, with petals of great substance, making it one of the very best.

# "Novelty" Collection of Choice New Monthly Carnations

"The Divine Flower"

Price, 10 cents each; any three of your selection for 25 cents. This Novelty Collection of seven Monthly ever-blooming Carnation Pinks, 50 cents.

**ADONIS**—Another grand new variety so distinct that it stands alone. Awarded the Lawson Gold Medal, also the S. A. F. Medal at the Carnation Society's convention. The flowers measure three and one-half inches when well grown. Long, strong stems, two to three feet. A healthy, vigorous grower. But its color—a glowing scarlet-crimson, intense and fiery with its rich ox-blood shadings, far and away beyond all other Carnations.

**ENCHANTRESS**—The Great \$10,000 Beauty. The great forward stride in Carnations is made more manifest in this than in any other since the advent of the Mrs. Thomas W. Lawson. It was raised by the same grower, and he pronounces Enchantress superior to it. The flowers are three and one-half to four inches across when well grown. The color is a superb shade of rosy blush-pink.

**GAIETY**—Color pure white, with a few narrow pink pencilings about the edge and through the flower. Size large and full, form very round and symmetrical. One of the best producers, beginning to bloom early and continuing throughout the season without intermission.

**HER MAJESTY**—Purity of color fairly glistens all over this flower. Form is simply perfect, size larger than any other white, stem the strongest and about thirty inches long. It is bound to become the standard white for both winter and summer blooming, as it will start blooming July 1st and continue until the same time a year later.

**LADY BOUNTIFUL**—Largest flowers of the purest immaculate white; large-sized blooms. Valuable for garden planting and for pot culture. Very sweetly scented with that delightful old-fashioned clove fragrance.

**New Fancy Carnation, PROSPERITY**—This is the largest Carnation ever offered. It is a wonderfully free bloomer, considering the monster size the flowers attain. White, overlaid with pink, in mottles reminding one of the beautiful tints seen in Azaleas.

**The Sensational Carnation, MRS. THOS. W. LAWSON**—The grandest pink Carnation, true exhibition variety. Bloom large and spreading, stem stiff; a good grower. All newcomers will have to meet comparison with the Lawson. Very free for so large a flower. The Lawson is the queen of a class all her own, just as American Beauty is among Roses. No grower can afford to be without it. Thirty thousand dollars was paid for this variety; highest price ever paid for any flower.



## GOLD MEDAL CHRYSANTHEMUMS

A Grand Collection of "Mums" Either for Garden Culture or for Exhibition Flowers.

Price, 10 cents each; any six, your selection, for 50 cents; any fourteen for \$1.00.

**AUSTRALIAN GOLD**—Deep golden-yellow with tones of bronze; of immense size; the petals are feathery, incurved and whorled. One of the finest. No collection is complete without it. It is indeed gorgeous in its coloring and bearing.

**BLACK HAWK**—An extra fine deep crimson variety of the largest size; none finer of its color.

**CLEMENTINE TOUSSET**—The most wonderful of all white "mums." Pure snow-white, often flushed pink; of immense size.

**CAMILLE d'ARVILLE**—Pure snow-white, of medium size, but literally covers itself with its bloom; extra.

**COLONEL D. APPLETON**—A golden-yellow "mum" that beats them all.

**GOLDEN WEDDING**—Nothing finer among yellows; shines like burnished gold. The standard for measuring yellows; of mammoth size.

**GOLDEN GLOW**—Bright yellow of velvety finish. Flower five and one-half inches in diameter.

**JOHN SHRIMPTON**—A rich red that has many admirers; of the largest size. Extra.

**LAVENDER QUEEN**—A lovely shade of pinkish-lilac. Very desirable.

**MAUD DEAN**—An immense pink variety, finely incurved petals, broadly shell-shaped. One of the largest flowers exhibited in the fall shows; almost a pure self pink.

**MRS. JEROME JONES**—One of the finest white Chrysanthemums ever raised; flowers of exquisite form and finish; grand.

**MRS. HENRY ROBINSON**—This is another early white commercial Chrysanthemum of great merit; large, double, snow-white; beautiful.



Australian Gold.

**MRS. PERRIN**—Still the brightest of all the pinks. Beautifully formed.

**MODESTO**—Still the best exhibition yellow. This Chrysanthemum has no faults.

**MISS MINNIE BAILEY**—One of the grandest all-pink Chrysanthemums. In finish it is exquisite, showing not the slightest trace of coarseness.

**MRS. O. P. BASSETT**—A light lemon-yellow of the largest size; grand.

**MISS ALICE BYRON**—Fine, substantial white, very lasting; good cut flower.

**MAJOR BONAFFON**—One of the very best deep golden-yellow Chrysanthemums; beautiful flower, both in form and color; incurved.

**NAGOYA**—One of the largest and finest brilliant yellows in the whole Chrysanthemum family.

**PERCY PLUMRIDGE**—This grand variety has literally leaped into popularity. Flowers are so large as to startle you. The color shades from a few rows of lavender-pearl to the richest pink.

**ROBERT HALLIDAY**—Flowers of mammoth size and deep golden-yellow; really a wonder.

**SILVER CLOUD**—A delicate shade of peach-pink bordered white.

**TIMOTHY EATON**—The largest and grandest of all white "mums;" simply immense.

**VIRGINIA POEHLMAN**—Claimed by many to be the very best white to date. Pure white, faintly tinged pink. A most wonderfully beautiful Chrysanthemum.

**WHITE BONAFFON**—This is the same style flower as Major Bonaffon except that the color is snow-white; extra.

# Early Flowering Chrysanthemums

So many persons have asked for varieties of Chrysanthemums that would flower before frost comes in the fall. I here offer the very best early "mums," so you can see them flower in the garden. Price, 20 cents each; the five for 85 cents.

**CARRIE**—Brightest yellow; large and fine.

**GLORY OF THE PACIFIC**—A lovely shade of brightest pink; large and fine.

**ESTELLE**—Pure snow-white; literally covers the plant.

**MONROVIA**—By far the best; very early; yellow, rich and fine.

**OCTOBER FROST**

Purest snow-white; fairly glistens in its purity.

# Ostrich Plume Chrysanthemums

Below I offer a grand collection of these Chrysanthemums. The term "Ostrich Plume" is applied to this type on account of the feathery growth with which the petals are thickly covered.

**PRICE 15 CENTS EACH**

**LOUIS BOEHMER**—A most beautiful shade of lavender-pink.

**AUDREY (New)**—Pure snow-white, ostrich plume. Elegant.

**HAIRY WONDER**—Enormous terra-cotta, broad, spreading Japanese variety, with extremely wide cupping and incurving petals, which are covered with glandular hairs. Reported as the largest and best hairy ever exhibited. Habit, stem and foliage perfect.

# Hardy Pompon Chrysanthemums

These beautiful varieties are again very popular for outdoor bedding purposes. They are quite hardy, and with but a slight covering of leaves or coarse stable litter during the winter will take care of themselves after once planted, and produce an abundant, almost lavish, profusion of bloom; and the plants lend a coloration to the garden just at a time when other plants have been destroyed by frost and are looking their worst. Frost does not materially affect the flowering, and it will frequently happen that an armful of flowers can be cut after a sharp frost. Price, 15 cents each.

**DINIZULA**—Rosy-lake; very fine.

**ELEGANTA**—Deep pink, tipped and edged white.

**GOLDFINCH**—Magnificent; gold, shaded crimson; extra.

**GOLDEN FLEECE**—Large, bright lemon-yellow.

**KADAR**—Clear magenta; extra fine.

**MRS. VINCENT**—Large; deep purplish-rose.

**RHODA**—Bronzy-pink; fine.

# TENDER PLANTS

Plants in This List  
will Not stand frost

## ACALYPHAS

**ACALYPHA SANDERII**—The most sensational new plant introduced for years, and one of the most striking flowering ornamental plants. Strong, free growth, with large, dark green leaves from each axil of which rope-like spikes of velvety-crimson flowers from one to two feet long and nearly one inch thick are gracefully suspended; useful as a pot plant.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—The three Acalyphas for 35 cents.

**ACALYPHA TRICOLOR**—A grand bedding plant where fine foliage effect is desired. The foliage is bronze, mottled with pink; very rich.

**ACALYPHA TRIUMPHANS**—This is also a grand plant for beds. The foliage is red, marbled, streaked and mottled with green, yellow and pink; extremely effective. Price, 15 cents. Large plants, 25 cents each.

## ARAUCARIA EXCELSA

### NORFOLK ISLAND PINE

Various names have been suggested for this grand plant to properly convey to the mind the appearance of it. Some have called it the "Christmas Tree Palm," from its resemblance to a Christmas tree; others have called it the "Star Palm," because the leaves are arranged to form a perfect star, but no descriptive name can give an adequate idea of its beauty. It has deep green, feathery foliage, arranged in whorls, rising one above the other at regular distances. Its symmetry of form, grace and beauty of foliage are unequalled in the vegetable kingdom. It is easily grown in the house, and is highly ornamental. It requires the same culture as the Palm. Indeed, as a decorative plant for the house, this is one of the handsomest and most serviceable plants in my collection. Strong plants, \$1.00 each; extra fine specimens \$1.50 each.



Araucaria excelsa.

## Asparagus Plumosus Nanus

**THE CLIMBING LACE FERN**—This graceful climber has to a great extent taken the place of the once popular Smilax in all fine decorations. It possesses the advantage of being much more graceful—its foliage being finer than that of the most delicate Fern—and will last for weeks after being cut, the whole plant being of a bright, cheerful green. Excellent house plant, succeeding under almost any conditions; by pinching back may be grown as a plant. Price, 10 cents each for fine plants; large, strong plants, 35 cents each.

## ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI

**THE EMERALD FEATHER**—A most desirable species, especially useful to grow as a pot plant for decorative purposes or for planting in baskets or vases. The fronds are frequently four feet long, of a rich shade of green, and most useful for cutting, retaining their freshness for weeks after being cut. It will make an excellent house plant, as it withstands dry atmosphere and will succeed in almost any situation. Price, 10 cents each, three for 25 cents; strong plants, 25 cents.

## ASPARAGUS HATCHERII

It would hardly be possible to praise this new type too much. It is of very rapid growth. The fronds are set closer on the stems than on Plumosus Nanus. Has already made a name for itself. Price, 20 cents.

# TENDER PLANTS—Continued

## CHINESE AZALEAS

These beautiful plants are deservedly becoming more popular every season for window and conservatory decorations. The ease with which they can be grown and their diversity in color and freedom of flowering will always keep them in public favor. The plants I offer are all beautifully trained specimens, and even when not in flower are fine decorative plants. My collection comprises the cream of the best continental establishments. All the plants I offer will flower freely in proper season. Plants twenty-four inches in circumference, 75 cents each; any six varieties, your choice, for \$4.25.

**APOLLO**—(Medium.) Crimson-scarlet; best red.  
**BERNARD ANDREA ALBA**—(Late.) Superb white.  
**DR. MOORE**—(Late.) Intense rose, tinted white and violet.  
**DEUTSCHE PERLE**—(Early.) Ivory-white. Extra fine.  
**EMPEROR OF INDIA**—(Late.) Salmon, with white border. Magnificent variety.  
**MADAME VAN DER CRUYSEN**—(Late.) Glossy rose, tinted with amaranth. By many thought to be best of all.  
**PROFESSOR WOLTERS**—(Medium.) Beautiful variety. Rose, white bordered.

## FLOWERING BEGONIAS

Begonias are fine for Pot Culture Indoors, and for the Outdoor Plant stand or planted in the ground in shady spots. Price, 10 cents each, except where noted; the set of nineteen, costing \$1.45, for \$1.15.

**ALBA PICTA**—Long, pointed, slender leaves, thickly spotted with silvery-white. Foliage small and elegant.

**ALBA PERFECTA GRANDIFLORA**—doubt if there is a white-flowered variety that equals it. The foliage resembles Rubra in shape, but it is lighter green, while the flower panicles are much handsomer.

**ARGENTEA GUTTATA**—It has purple-bronze leaves, oblong in shape, with silvery markings, and is in every way a most beautiful Begonia. Produces white flowers in bunches on ends of growth stems. Good for house culture.

**The Wonderful New Flowering Begonia CORALLINE LUCERNE**—This new Begonia has simply taken everybody who has seen it by storm. There was not a single lady or florist who visited my greenhouses the past spring that did not purchase this Begonia after they had seen it in flower. It certainly is a wonder. The blooms last from a month to six weeks, and are borne in immense clusters almost hiding the plant. The color is bright coral-red, changing to a delicate pink. It is past the power of speech to describe it. A wonder. Fine plants, 25 cents; strong plants, 40 cents; extra strong plants, 60 cents each.

**DECORUS**—This is the white-flowering Rubra. Very similar to it, but with white flowers.

**FOLIOSA**—A beautiful fine foliage variety; pink flowers.

**FUCHSIOIDES COCCINEA**—This beautiful plant makes handsome specimens, with its graceful branches and pendulous flowers of bright scarlet. Very floriferous.

**GRACILIS LUMINOSA**—A magnificent new specimen of the Semperflorens type, exceptionally sturdy and vigorous, and unquestionably one of the choicest bedding sorts in existence. Its flowers are large, perfect and plentiful, and never out of bloom. Color, the brightest scarlet. Price, 15 cents.

**MRS. TOWNSEND**—Here I have a grand new Begonia with broad metallic leaves; under side bronze-red. Flowers in large panicles of a beautiful pink color. A grand Begonia. Price, 15 cents.

**MARGUERITE**—Leaves a bronzy-green, somewhat resembling Metallica, but growing in more bushy form, and easier to handle when grown in pots. Large trusses of light rose-colored flowers freely produced.

**New Trailing Begonia, MARJORIE DAW**—This Begonia is distinct from all other Begonias, for instead of growing upright it droops. It bears great clusters of large, shining pink flowers that droop from long stems, making a beautiful sight. For single specimen pot plants or for baskets and vases "Marjorie Daw" is proving one of the best plant introductions in years. Price, 20 cents each.

**PICTA ROSEA**—A wonderfully free growing Begonia of sterling worth and great beauty. The plant is very compact in growth, forming a dense, well proportioned bush with rich green foliage, spotted with silver. The flower is a rosy-flesh color, shaded with a silvery-pink and enlivened with dense clusters of yellow anthers. One of the most wonderful flowering Begonias within my knowledge. It blooms continually. Price, 15 cents.

**PRESIDENT CARNOT**—The leaf is of silky texture, and is beautifully spotted with silver; under side plush-red. Very strong, free-growing variety, that will succeed with any ordinary care, growing rapidly and sending out quantities of beautiful coral-red flowers in large pendent panicles. Price, 15 cents.

**RUBRA**—Has strong, slender branches, gracefully drooping under heavy waxen leaves and pendent panicles of coral-colored flowers as large as a hand. Medium-sized plants are frequently seen with more than twenty such panicles at a time. Price, 15 cents.

**ROBUSTA**—This is one of the most peculiar Begonias grown. The stock, stem and under side of the leaf are Indian-red. The upper side of the leaf glossy olive-green. The flower is composed of two wide and two narrow petals, the wide ones

**BEGONIA REX, or King of the Begonias**—Price, 25 cents, the three for 60 cents.

**BEAUTY OF RICHMOND**—Dark green crow's feet center, with broad band of silver edged darker with silver dot.

**LESOUDSII**—Large heart of green surrounded by large silvery spaces, bordered with green.

**MAGNIFICA**—Leaves of immense size. Color a rich dark chocolate-brown, tinted dark green; very showy.

**SAKUNTULA**—(Medium.) A grand variety. Very double, of the finest white.

**SIGISMUND RUCKER**—(Early.) Lilac-rose, bordered with white, blotted crimson.

**SIMON MARDNER**—(Early.) Intense velvety rose. A grand variety.

**SCHRIJVERIANA**—(Late.) Very double, pink and white, with dark center. Splendid.

**VERVENEANA**—(Early.) Clear pink, white margin. Very large flower.

## BEGONIAS

Begonias are fine to plant on the north side of the house or other building, or in front of porch where they get shade. The foliage, as well as the flowers, are extremely ornamental, some being spotted and veined to give a parti-colored effect that is quite striking. Begonias planted with Crotons give a wonderful foliage effect, and this is heightened with their lovely showy flowers.



A  
Wonderful  
Blooming  
Begonia

New Begonia Coralline Lucerne.

being broadcast at the base and terminating in a round point of a beautiful bright rose.

**SANDERSONII**—Bushy growing variety; glossy deep green leaves; flowers in clusters of drooping scarlet, heart-shaped buds.

**THURSTONI**—The under side of the leaves is a rich purplish-red, the veining very prominent, while the face or upper side is a bronzy-green, shaded with crimson and olive, with a peculiar glossy metallic luster over all. Flowers rosy-white, in large clusters well above the foliage. The plant has a fine habit. Price, 15 cents.

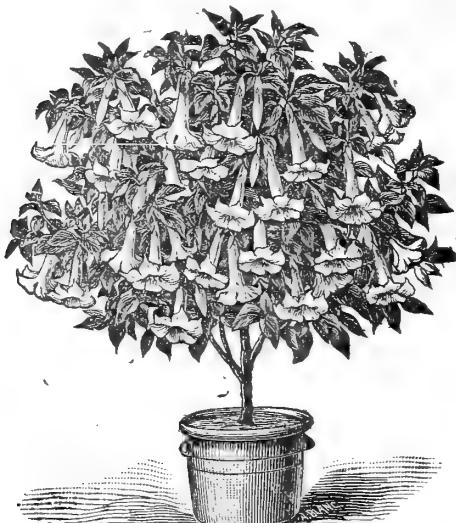
**VERNON**—A deep rose flowering Begonia. Suitable for pot culture or for bedding out. Always in bloom.

**WELTONIENSIS**—A very handsome winter-flowering variety, giving in profusion its lovely pink flowers, easy cultivation.

## TENDER PLANTS—Continued

### Brugmansia, or Angel's Trumpet

Here is a plant for the masses. It grows easily, blooms freely, and the flower is something to be proud of. The Brugmansia blooms indoors in winter and in the garden in summer. The plant has large, tropical leaves, with blooms eight inches long by six inches wide at the mouth, resembling a trumpet, hence the name, "Angel's Trumpet." Pure white in color and as fragrant as a Jasmine. Blooming plants, 25 cents each. Plants ready to bloom, 50 cents.



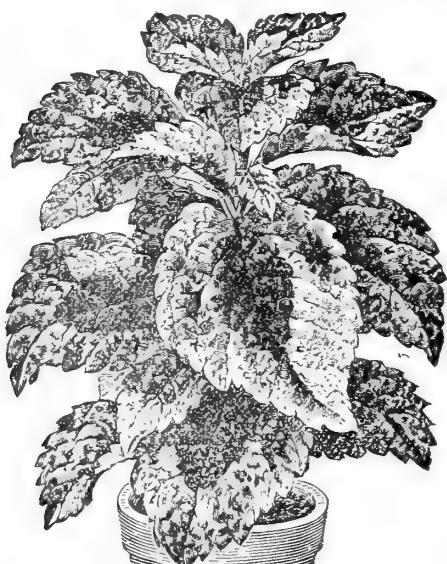
Brugmansia, or Angel's Trumpet.

### COLEUS

I have a collection of thirty kinds of the most distinct sorts. Leave the selection of varieties to me, as it is hard to describe the various tints.

Price, 5 cents each, any six for 25 cents, any twelve for 50 cents; twenty-five distinct varieties for \$1.00.

These are all good bedders, standing the hot sun without losing their color. Price of Coleus by the hundred when sent by express, \$3.00, you to pay the expressage.



New Giant Fancy-Leaved Coleus, Christmas Gem.

### New Giant Coleus CHRISTMAS GEM

(Brilliancy, or Dr. Ross.)

Leaves immense, eight to twelve inches long, looks like a Rex Begonia, and just as beautiful. Cannot be excelled as a pot plant. The name aptly describes the appearance of this variety, which belongs to the giant-leaved section; of strong, vigorous habit, growing from two to three feet high, with leaves often nine to ten inches long, which are of bright carmine, shading off to a deep maroon, the margin being yellow and green, the whole leaf having a rich velvety luster. Price, 20 cents each.

### CROTONS

Nothing can excel the beauty and richness of coloring that is found in this class of plants. They are beautiful pot plants for the conservatory, making very handsome specimens for decorative and exhibition purposes. They are used extensively as bedding plants, for which purpose they are exceptionally well adapted. They should be planted in full sun, in a position where they can be more liberally supplied with water, which develops the most wonderful coloring in the foliage. Undoubtedly the most interesting and showiest bedding in our Springfield yards the past few years was made with this plant. They are fine for basket or vase work. Where I used to sell dozens I now ship thousands. Leave the selection of varieties to me. I can supply twelve choice kinds. Fine plants, 12 cents each, three for 30 cents, \$1.00 per dozen.

### CAMELLIA JAPONICA

Camellia is considered the queen flower of the South, and is called the "Japonica." During the month of May immense trees can be seen in full bloom, making the most gorgeous sights to behold. Their dark, shiny leaves contrast beautifully with the waxy-like blooms, which come in pink, white, rose, carmine and variegated shades. No garden is complete without them, as they are also quite hardy in the Southern States and require no protection or care. They are called the Royal Family of greenhouse plants. Time of blooming is in winter and in early spring. Requires a moderate and uniform temperature, with as little artificial heat as possible. When set with flower buds great care must be taken in watering—when left too dry the buds are sure to drop. I offer splendid plants, bushy, well-grown specimens, and all in splendid health. The varieties are the best extant, the pick of a continental collection. Plants two to two and one-half feet high, \$1.00 each; the set of twelve distinct kinds for \$10.00; any four for \$3.75. All my Camellias are double-flowered. I can supply fifteen sorts other than the twelve named at same price, all fine varieties.

CHANDELERI ELEGANS—Lively red, spotted pure white.

COUNTESS LAVINIA MAGGI—Pure white striped red.

DONKELAARI EUGENE LIZE—Clear red, spotted with white.

DUCHESS DE CAZI—Carnation-pink, veined rose, bordered white.

IL TRAMENTO—Carmine striped white, very rich.

MARGHANTA CALEONIE—Fine red maculated with white.

MADAME LEBOIS—Clear red.

NOBILISSIMA—A better white than Alba Plena; much freer in bloom. Extra pure white. The grandest of all Camellias.

PRESTON ROSE—Color beautiful transparent rose; grand.

PRINCESS BACCIOCHI—Dark red.

PRINCESS CLOTHILDE—Clear pink striped red.

SACO NOVA—Delicate transparent pink. Ethereally beautiful.

### MARGUERITE DAISIES

Marguerite Daisy, MADAME GAILBERT—This is one of the finest new plants that has ever been introduced. Nothing can be imagined that is finer. All know the old varieties of Paris Daisies, how beautiful and much sought after for decoration of all kinds. This new variety blooms constantly, and will produce ten blooms to the old variety's one. Nothing is so airy and graceful as these blossoms of large white petals showing a yellow disc. Price, 10 cents each.

Marguerite Daisy, ETOILE d'OR—The new yellow Paris Daisy, similar to Madame Gailbert, but a rich golden color. The two varieties go handsomely together. Price, 10 cents each.

Blue Marguerite Daisy, AGATHEA COELESTIS—This is a grand variety, producing flowers of bright blue. A solid color. Very desirable. Price, 10 cents each.

The three Marguerites for 25 cents.

### EUPHORBIA SPLENDENS

Or Crown of Thorns.

A curious plant with thick fleshy stems which are covered with stout, sharp thorns, many an inch long. The foliage is bright green, and the flowers are a beautiful coral-pink. Very pretty when in bloom and a great curiosity at any time. Soon makes handsome plants. Legend says this is the plant the Savior was crowned with. Price, 15 cents each.

## TENDER PLANTS—Continued

## FUCHSIAS or Ladies' Eardrops

Price, 10 cents each, except where noted.

**BLACK PRINCE**—This is, without question, the very finest Fuchsia grown for the amateur to cultivate. It makes a shapely bush, is robust in growth, free from disease and insects, and is probably the freest in blooming. I have seen specimen plants six feet in height and four feet across loaded with thousands of bright buds and blossoms of a beautiful waxy carmine or pink color. Certainly a plant of easy culture. Price, 15 cents.

**ENFANT PRODIGY**—A grand Fuchsia; bright red sepals, deep purple corolla.

**New Fuchsia MARY**—A most wonderful plant novelty, foliage is long and pointed, of a bronzy green. Its greatness lies in the fact that the flowers are different from any other Fuchsia, being fully three inches long, of the richest scarlet color. Comes in big clusters. My word for it this plant will not only startle you, but will please you as well. Price, 20 cents each.

**MONSTROSA**—Of the largest size; scarlet sepals, double snow-white corolla. Price, 15 cents.

**SPECIOSA**—Habit erect and compact, presenting a decidedly neat and attractive appearance as a pot plant. The fine star-shaped flowers are produced in profusion, and begin when plants are quite young. The flowers are three inches or more in length; tube and sepals bright rose, corolla brilliant carmine; it blooms quite freely.

**PHENOMENAL**—Large, double purple. Price, 15 cents.

**New Trailing QUEEN FUCHSIA**—Entire new, differing from other varieties in its habit of growth, as it is a trailing vine. Flowers are borne in drooping clusters. Price, 15 cents.

## THE NEW HYDRANGEAS

These make handsome specimens in large pots or tubs and can be kept in the cellar during winter. The following new sorts from France:

**AVALANCHE**—A splendid large white, which has made a reputation for itself during the past two seasons. Price, 25 cents.

**BOUQUET ROSE**—Large trusses of well-formed flowers, rosy amber turning to bright pink; has proven a special favorite in the New York market this season. Price, 35 cents.

**FRAICHEUR**—Very large, regularly shaped flowers, white, delicately suffused with rose. Price, 35 cents.

**LA LORRAINE**—Very large flowers, pale rose, turning to bright pink; has become a general favorite during the past two years. Price, 35 cents; large size, 65 cents.

**MONT ROSE**—Immense panicles of clear flesh-rose, entirely distinct. Price, 35 cents; large size, 65 cents.

**MME. E. MOUILLERE**—This has been the favorite white variety in the New York market this year, very free flowering, of good size and form. Awarded silver medal at the National Flower Show at Boston last year. A great favorite with English growers, one London grower known to me handling over thirty thousand of this variety alone. Price, 35 cents; large size, 65 cents.

**MILLE. RENEE GAILLARD**—Very large panicles of milky-white, irregularly dentated flowers, which is certain to become popular; it is entirely distinct. One of the best growers of Hydrangeas says that this variety should really have been awarded the Silver Medal given to Mme. Emile Moullere last year as the best white. Price, 40 cents; large size, 75 cents.

**MOUSSELINE**—With me a beautiful plumbago-blue. The introducer describes it as a beautiful mauve-rose with cream-colored center; the flower heads are large and held erect; a decided acquisition. Price, 35 cents.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—I will send one each new Hydrangeas, costing \$2.75, for \$2.00.

## Older Sorts Hydrangeas

**OTAKSA**—The old, well-known forcing Hydrangea; flowers large, of a beautiful unique pink. Price, 15 cents; larger plants, 40 cents.

**THOMAS HOGG**—Another old-timer, with pure white flowers produced in immense trusses. Price, 10 cents; larger plants, 30 cents.

## FRAGRANT HELIOTROPS

Price, 10 cents each.

**SNOW WREATH**—Superb large clusters of deliciously fragrant flowers of pure white.

**THE QUEEN**—For a neat, dwarf habit, profusion of bloom and richness of odor, this Heliotrope has no equal, and its vivid color of royal purple, with a distinct white center, gives us something entirely new in color, either for summer decoration or winter flowering. By far the best of all Heliotropes.

**FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE**—Best free-flowering light lavender.

**CHIEFTAIN**—Color deepest violet-purple, large white eye; very fragrant; the plant is of vigorous habit; very floriferous.

The above Four Heliotropes for 35 cents.

## New Pink Hibiscus "Peachblow"

This is a sport from the double red Hibiscus Rosa Sinensis.

The flowers are double and from four to five inches in diameter, of a charming, rich, clear pink color, with small, deep crimson center. It is one of the freest flowering plant novelties recently offered. The color is an entirely new and beautiful shade, and it blooms abundantly and continuously during the summer and fall months. Large plants two and three years old make a magnificent show. It will give general satisfaction to those who grow it, either in pots or planted out in the garden. It blooms well in the winter in the greenhouse or in any sunny window. Price, 15 cents each; strong, fine plants, 30 cents each.

## CHINESE HIBISCUS

Price, 10 cents each, any three for 25 cents. I have large plants of Hibiscus, ready to bloom, for 25 cents each. These are handsome plants.

**SINENSIS GIGANTEUS**—This is a plant for house cultivation during winter or summer, or for planting outside during summer. It blooms at all times of the year. The plants branch freely and flower profusely, commencing to bloom when not more than a foot high. As a specimen plant for large pots it has an equal only in the Brugmansia. Its flowers are of enormous size, often eight to ten inches across, opening flat, and of such vivid crimson-scarlet color that they can be seen from a long distance like a flaming torch. They can be wintered in the cellar or pit with perfect safety, and if one does not care to grow them all winter, one should have one or two for summer display.

**GRANDIFLORUS**—Rich, glossy cut-leaved foliage, literally covering the plant with scarlet-crimson flowers.

**SUB-VIOLACEOUS**—Flowers of enormous size, beautiful carmine, tinted with violet. Probably the largest flower of the Hibiscus family, and an unusually free bloomer. I take great pleasure in recommending this fine plant.

**DOUBLE CRIMSON**—This grand variety has immense flowers of the richest crimson; combined with glossy foliage, renders it best of all.

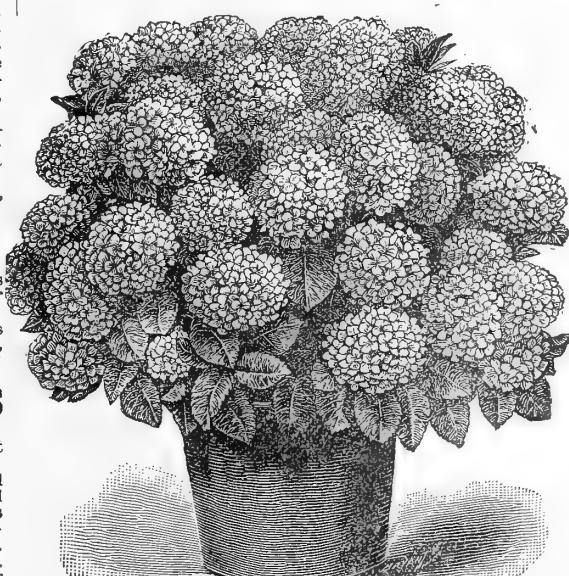
**AURANTIACUS**—Large and double with orange-colored flowers.

**CARMINIATUS PERFECTUS**—Full, round flowers of perfect shape and of a rich, soft carmine-rose, with a deep crimson eye; fully six inches in diameter.

**COLLERI**—Flowers buff-yellow, with a crimson-scarlet base; peculiarly handsome and double.

**VERSICOLOR**—A variety combining in its flowers all the colors of the whole family, being handsomely striped crimson, buff, rose and white. Flowers eight inches in diameter.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—I will send the entire set of ten distinct kinds of Hibiscus for \$1.00.



New Hydrangea, Mille. Renee Gaillard.

# TENDER PLANTS—Continued

## IMPATIENS

These make handsome pot plants, or are grand for bedding purposes. They are always in bloom.

Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents, the six for 45 cents.

**SULTANI**—This makes a very shapely plant, and is in bloom continuously the year round,

outdoors or indoors, even in the small plants three or four inches high. The bloom is a bright red, and comes so profusely as to almost cover the entire plant. Very desirable.

**WHITE LADY**—Same as above, except pure white flowers with deep crimson eye.

**PINK BEAUTY**—Same as above, except salmon-pink flowers, purple eye.

**SALMON QUEEN**—A lovely salmon shade.

**VIOLET QUEEN**—A deep rich violet color.

**HOLSTII**—The richest brightest scarlet.



Impatiens Sultani.

### IMPATIENS MAKE FINE BEDDING PLANTS

They are also useful as single specimens in tubs or large pots. They completely hide the plant with their bloom, and resemble a large bouquet of color; be sure and try Impatiens.

## Lantanas, or Shrubby Verbenas

The brilliant colors, robust growth and profuse blooming habit of the Lantana render it one of the finest bedding plants grown. The flowers embrace all the most delicate shades of orange, sulphur, creamy-white, etc., changing from one distinct color to another as they increase in age and development. The varieties I have give a wide range of color, and include the most distinct and profuse kinds; fine for baskets and vases or porch boxes. Price, 8 cents each, three for 25 cents, twelve for 75 cents.

## WEEPING LANTANAS

### A New Weeping Plant of Great Beauty.

One of the grandest basket plants grown. The plant has a most graceful, drooping habit, grows very rapidly, and blooms continuously summer and winter, producing large clusters of the most delicate lilac or rosy-pink; foliage a beautiful dark green. A single plant on August 1st this past summer had five hundred and ninety clusters of flowers on it. The same plant December 1st had three hundred and fifty clusters of flowers on, which proves it one of the most persistent bloomers, and it does equally well winter or summer. I know of nothing of recent introduction that is so easily grown and gives so much pleasure and satisfaction as this beautiful Lantana. Price, 10 cents each, three for 25 cents.

### The Wonderful New Lemon

## PENDEROSA

My New Ponderosa Lemon is what I claim for it. Largest, freest blooming, fruiting and most delicious of all Lemons.

Nothing that has ever been brought to my notice in the plant line has caused half the commotion that this wonderful Lemon has. It is a true ever-bearing variety. On a plant six feet high no less than eighty-nine of the ponderous Lemons were growing at one time. It was a beautiful sight to see. The tree was blooming, and at the same time had fruit in all stages of development, from the size of a pea up to the ripe fruit, showing it to be a true ever-bearer. Fruit has been taken from this tree weighing over four pounds. The Lemons have very thin rind for such large fruit. It is the juiciest of all Lemons, makes delicious lemonade, and for culinary purposes cannot be excelled. I have the entire stock of this ponderous Lemon, and guarantee the trees to produce the same large fruit. No budding or grafting necessary. Ponderosa Lemon is sure to become popular when it is known. It fruits when quite small, and makes a lovely house plant. Everybody can grow his own lemons; it will fruit freely each year. Thrifty young plants, 10 cents each, three for 25 cents; strong one-year-old plants, many of which will fruit this year, 25 cents each; strong two-year-old plants, 50 cents each; extra strong, handsome plants, to bloom and fruit at once, \$1.00 to \$1.50 each, according to size.

## SWEET GERMAN MYRTLE

### The Jew or Bride's Myrtle

This is the handsome, upright, evergreen plant, suitable for pot culture in the house, has small glossy green leaves that are very fragrant. This is scarce and rare. Fine plants, 25 cents each; three for 50 cents.

## The Beautiful Dwarf Ornamental OTAHEITE ORANGE

This valuable and distinct variety of the Orange family is a dwarf, compact grower, with glossy deep green foliage, which has a decided odor of the Orange Tree of Florida, and is exceedingly floriferous, producing a wonderful profusion of pure white flowers of the most delicious fragrance, identical with the much-sought-for blooms of the Southern Orange groves. Otaheite fruits immediately after flowering, bearing fruit about one-half the size of the ordinary Orange, retaining in a marked degree their sweetness. This unique Orange cannot be equaled as a winter-blooming pot plant for house culture. Requires but little sunlight, and flowers and fruits when but twelve to fifteen inches high. As a pot plant this lovely dwarf Orange is one of the most novel and beautiful that can be grown. With a couple of plants of it you can have an abundance of the far-famed delicate and fragrant Orange blossoms. I have grown a large stock of clean, vigorous plants of this beautiful Orange that will bloom and fruit at once. I commend it to my friends as a novelty of sterling worth and merit. Fine plants, 10 cents each; large, strong plants, ready to bloom and bear profusely, 25 cents each; extra large, strong plants, 50 cents each.

## OLEANDERS

These old-fashioned shrubs are becoming immensely popular again. I am growing and selling them by thousands. No plant makes more handsome specimens in tubs for the veranda or yard. Can be wintered in the cellar.

**LUTEA**—Has double primrose-yellow flowers of a lovely shade, also fragrant. Scarce. Price, 15 cents each.

**ROSEA**—Has double pink flowers. The old favorite. Very sweet. Price, 15 cents each.

**ROSEA VARIÉGATA**—Foliation is green, deeply edged with yellow; pink flowers. Price, 20 cents.

**LILIAN HENDERSON**—Has double white flowers of the largest size. Fragrance like the old double pink. Scarce. Price, 15 cents each.

The four different colors of Oleanders for 50 cents.



Ponderosa Lemon.

# TENDER PLANTS—Continued

## EMPEROR PANSIES

My Emperor Pansies are the best the world produces. They are the choicest large-flowering sorts, both of European and American growers. It has been my aim to make this the finest strain of this favored flower in existence. Price, 5 cents each, six for 20 cents, 35 cents per dozen, forty for \$1.00.

## PALMS

**SPECIAL OFFER**—Five choice Palms, of my selection of kinds, for only 50 cents net, the set of eight distinct Palms, costing \$1.50, for only \$1.25.

**PHOENIX CANARIENSIS**—A fine decorative Palm. Young plants, 20 cents; five to six leaves, three to four feet high, \$2.50 each. This size by express only.

**OSTRICH PLUME PALM** (*Phoenix Roebelenii*) — (New.) This is unquestionably one of the great Palms, combining the most graceful growth and form with the hardiness and ease of culture of a Kentia. It will prove an invaluable plant for the house. This is a remarkable Palm. Fine young plants, three to five leaves, 35 cents; five to seven leaves, 65 cents.

**KENTIA BELMOREANA**—Young plants, 20 cents; fine plants, four to five character leaves, fifteen to eighteen inches in height, \$1.00 each.

**LATANIA BORBONICA**—Well known favorite fan Palm. Young plants, 15 cents; nicely developed plants, \$1.00 each.

**PHOENIX RECLINATA**—This is the date Palm of commerce. Young plants, 20 cents.

**WASHINGTONIA FILIFERA**—Young plants, 10 cents.

**CHAMEROPS EXCELSA**—Young plants, 15 cents.

**SEAFORTHIA ELEGANS**—Young plants, 10 cents; stronger plants, 25 cents.



Silver Leaved Begonia.

## Peperomia Muscosa

### OR SILVER LEAVED BEGONIA

Here is a most beautiful plant for pot culture; easy to grow and thrives anywhere; leaves deep olive-green, distinctly marked with silvery-white. Thick and waxy-like; leaves distinctly variegated white and green, and have the appearance of being powdered with frosted silver. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

## Mexican Fire Plant Poinsettia Pulcherrima

Native of Mexico. A common plant of the tropics, and well known in Northern hothouses for the great scarlet bracts surrounding its flowers, produced in winter, and often remaining bright for months at a time. Does well anywhere in Florida, outdoors, and anywhere in the North as a house plant, growing to large size. It is a splendid object from Thanksgiving to March 1. If cut by frost, it sprouts up readily. Price, 20 cents each.

## New Ever - Blooming Baby Primrose

This is the freest-blooming plant that I know of, blooming continuously throughout the entire season. Plants in very small pots have from fifteen to twenty sprays of lovely light pink flowers on stems ten to twelve inches high at one time, and plants in four-inch pots often have from twenty-five to fifty at one time, lasting in bloom fully four weeks without fading and continually sending new sprays all over the plant, making it one of the most desirable plants for the house ever introduced. It is a very rapid grower, and the easiest grown of all the Primrose family. Very desirable. Price, 8 cents each.

## RUELLIA MOKOYANA

This is a charming indoor plant for culture in pots or may be used in vases and baskets; of bushy spreading habit and finely marked leaves, which are beautiful olive-green, delicate and finely veined with silver and rich purple underneath. A neat and handsome plant, always bright and pretty. The flowers are exceedingly beautiful, trumpet shaped, and of a rosy-lavender color, almost covering the plant in their great profusion. Price, 15 cents each.

## SALVIAS

Price, 6 cents each; 60 cents per dozen; twenty-five for \$1.00; \$3.00 per hundred, by express, you to pay expressage.

**New Dwarf Scarlet Salvia, LE PRESIDENT**—It forms a compact bush, completely covered with rich scarlet flowers. I have had plants that by actual measurement were fifteen inches high and two feet across.

**SPLENDENS**—The standard sort for bedding, flower spikes of most brilliant scarlet.

**SPLENDENS ALBA**—A pure white variety of Splendens; identical in every respect except in color.

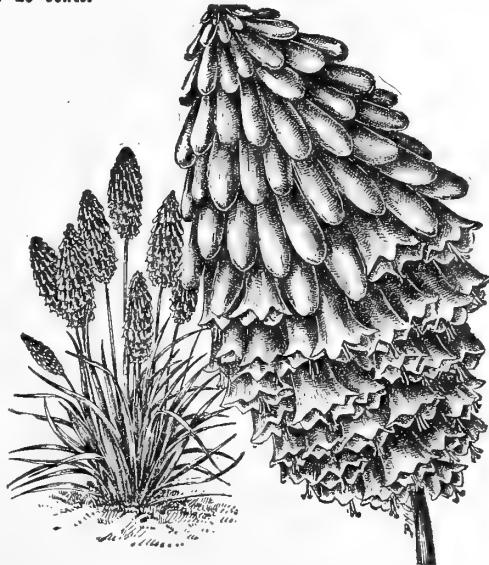
**SPLENDENS VARIEGATA**—White and red flowers; very evenly striped.

**New Dwarf Scarlet Salvia, MRS. PAGE**—This variety simply hides the foliage, and is a sheet of brightest scarlet.

**New Salvia, SILVERSPOT**—The distinctive feature of this splendid novelty is its strikingly handsome spotted foliage. The leaves are rich, soft dark green, with light sulphur or cream-colored spots of various sizes liberally sprinkled over them. The intense bright scarlet flowers are very large; the plants are of neat, compact habit.

## Sansevieria Zeylanica, Zebra Plant

A beautiful plant, specially adapted for the decoration of drawing rooms and halls, as it stands dust and drought with impunity and requires scarcely any water. The leaves are beautifully striped crosswise, with broad white variegations on a green ground. It is a rare and beautiful plant, which should be abundantly grown for positions out of the reach of sunshine, where other plants will not thrive. It can be placed in any position in any room and do well. It has a singular beauty for decorative purposes which other plants do not possess, and it is useful both in winter and summer. For vases and baskets it is a fine centerpiece, and grows splendidly out of doors during summer. Fine plants, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.



Tritoma Pfitzerii.

## Ever-Blooming Tritoma Pfitzerii

The greatest bedding plant ever introduced, surpassing the finest Cannas for attractiveness and brilliancy, equal to the Gladiolus as a cut flower, and blooms incessantly from June until November. Plants perfectly hardy in open ground all winter south of Philadelphia. Further north they must be protected or wintered in the cellar like the ordinary Tritoma. Just bury the roots in sand; nothing more is required. Should be planted out very early in the spring, and will commence growth and bloom at once, growing larger and finer every day. Plants show six to twenty grand flower stalks all the time, each holding at a height of three to four feet a cluster of flame colored flowers of indescribable beauty and brilliancy. Each cluster keeps perfect several weeks, and when it fades several more are ready to take its place. Fall frosts do not kill it or stop its blooming, and it is as brilliant as ever long after all other garden flowers have been killed. For cutting it is unsurpassed, and the beautiful long spikes keep several weeks in water. Strong plants that will bloom the first summer, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

## TENDER PLANTS--Concluded.

### Beautiful and Fragrant Violets

Of all the delightful perfumes that of the Sweet Violets is the most delicate and pleasing. If grown in the house for winter flowers, they should be kept at a low temperature, as they will not bloom freely where it is too warm. If left in the open ground during winter, protect with a covering of leaves.

**Double White Perpetual-Flowering Violet SWANLEY WHITE, or Queen of Fragrance**—Of all the white Violets, this is the best, either for pot culture in the house or bedded out. In pots it grows luxuriantly and is loaded with flowers. It is not an uncommon sight to see as many as fifty large flowers open at once, presenting a beautiful sight, their delicious perfume filling a whole room. Price, 10 cents each.

**LADY HUME CAMPBELL**—A true ever bloomer. This is one of the finest of all double blue Violets. It is simply wonderful the number of beautiful flowers it produces. In color it is a shade of the richest intense blue. It is a charming contrast with the white variety. Price, 10 cents.

### New Imperial or Parma Violet

This is, without question, the largest, richest colored and most highly perfumed of all the Violets. It blooms very freely, literally bending the plant with its lovely blue flowers of the largest size. Its blooming season is longer than any other Violet. Price, 20 cents each; the three Violets for 35 cents.

## TENDER PLANTS

|   | Each. |
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| <b>Aloysia Citriodora Lemon Verbena</b> —The most fragrant foliage of any plant.....                            | 10c   |
| <b>Alyssum</b> —Giant double-flowered. Pure white flowers.....  | 10c   |
| <b>Basket Plants</b> —A fine assortment. Eight for 50c.....   | 8c    |
| <b>Border Plants</b> —Suitable to border beds. Eight for 50c.....   | 8c    |
| <b>Browallia Gigantea</b> —Flowers intense indigo-blue.....   | 10c   |
| <b>Cestrum Parqui, or Night-Blooming Jasmine</b> —White flowers that are extremely fragrant.....                | 10c   |
| <b>Clerodendron Balfouri</b> —Flowers bright scarlet in calyx of white.....                                     | 15c   |
| <b>Crape Myrtle</b> —Three colors, pink, crimson and purple.....  | 10c   |
| <b>Cuphea Platycentra, or Cigar Plant</b> .....   | 10c   |
| <b>Cyperus Alternifolius, The Umbrella Plant</b> —A handsome pot plant, useful in vases, etc. Four for 25c..... | 8c    |
| <b>Dracena Indivisa</b> —Handsome pot or vase plant.....  | 10c   |
| <b>Dracena Indivisa</b> —Strong plants.....   | 20c   |
| <b>Feaverfew, Little Gem</b> —Pure white flowers, in bloom all the time, splendid for cutting.....              | 8c    |
| <b>Grevillea Robusta, The Silk Oak</b> —A fine decorative plant   | 8c    |

In this list I do not give extended descriptions, but my customers will find many valuable plants embraced. These are suitable for house and garden culture.

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| <b>Genista, or Gold Shrub</b> —Golden-yellow flowers.....                                | 10c    |
| <b>Jasmine Grandiflorum</b> —The Catalonian Jasmine.....                                 | 10c    |
| <b>Jasmine Malayan, or Confederate Jasmine</b> —Strong plants of the above Jasmynes..... | 15c    |
| <b>Jasmine Cape</b> —The well-known Cape Jasmine.....                                    | 15c    |
| <b>Jasmine Cape</b> —Strong blooming plants, two feet high, well branched.....           | \$1.00 |
| <b>Jasmine Grand Duke of Tuscany</b> —Double white flowers.....                          | 25c    |
| Strong two-year-old plants.....  | 50c    |
| <b>Justicia, the Pink Brazilian Plume Flower</b> .....                                   | 10c    |
| <b>Linum Trigynum</b> —A winter blooming plant, flowers bright yellow.....               | 8c     |
| <b>Plumbago Capensis</b> —Sky blue flowers.....  | 20c    |
| <b>Plumbago Capensis Alba</b> —White flowers.....  | 15c    |
| <b>Petunias</b> —Double flowering, four colors. 15c, the 4 for.....                      | 50c    |
| <b>Strobilanthes Dyerianus</b> or Royal Purple plant.....                                | 10c    |
| <b>Saxifraga Sarmentosa, or Strawberry Geranium</b> .....                                | 10c    |
| <b>Selaginella</b> —Low-growing fern-like Moss; elegant.....                             | 10c    |
| <b>Verbenas, Mammoth-Flowering</b> —All colors. Seven for 50c.....                       | 8c     |
| <b>Vase Plants</b> —A fine assortment. Eight for 50c.....                                | 8c     |

## TENDER VINES AND CLIMBERS

These Make a Rapid Growth and Bloom Throughout the Summer, and are very showy.

### The Wonderful Giant Moonflower

(*IPOMEA MAXIMA*.)

#### A Giant in Growth and Flower, and Wonderfully Fragrant

This grand new Moonflower is a decided improvement over the old well-known variety *Ipomea Grandiflora*. The flowers are more than twice the size of the old variety, oftentimes measuring from six to seven and one-half inches across, and are produced in such wonderful profusion that they completely cover the vine with a veil of glistening white. Its growth is very rapid when planted in a good rich light soil, nothing to equal it as a tender vine for porch and lattice shading. Fine plants, 15 cents each.

**New Moonflower, HEAVENLY BLUE**—This makes a splendid companion plant to the White Moonflower. It is equally rapid in growth, and a much freer blooming variety than the white one. The blooms come in clusters of five to twelve, and at times almost hide the vines. The flowers are the most heavenly blue, with reddish-purple rays, and six inches across. Nothing is more beautiful. Price, 10 cents.

**IPOMEA GRANDIFLORA**, the True Ever-blooming Moonflower—It is called the Moonflower from its rare peculiarity of blooming best at night and on dull cloudy days, flowers pure white in great profusion. Price, 10 cents each.

**ANTIGONON LEPTOPUS**—Or the "Queen's Wreath." Produces rose colored flowers in racemes two feet long, beautiful. Price, 10 cents.

**BOUGAINVILLEA SANDERIANA**—The Chinese paper plant. Lovely clear lavender flowers. Price, 20 cents.

**GERMAN, or PARLOR IVY**—A rapid-growing plant, well adapted for training in the parlor. Leaves glossy green and flowers yellow, in clusters. Price, 8 cents each.

**MADEIRA VINE**—White flowers; exquisitely fragrant. Price, 5 cents, three for 10 cents.

**SMILAX**—A lovely house vine. Price, 6 cents.

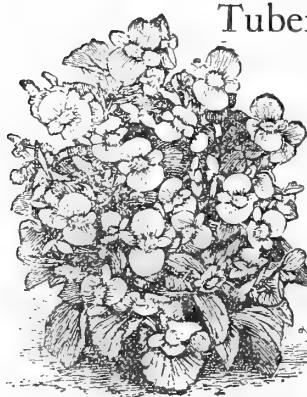
**TRADESCANTIA, or WANDERING JEW**—Fine for baskets. Two distinct kinds. Price, 10 cents each.

**VINCA MAJOR VARIÉGATA**—Fine for baskets and vases; green and white foliage. 10 cents; large strong plants, 20 cents.

## TENDER BULBS

### Tuberous-Rooted Begonias

These are among the very handsomest of our summer blooming plants, flowering throughout the season, and as fine and varied in their colors as the Geranium family. They are splendid bedders, delighting in a light soil of woods earth, very old cow manure and sharp sand. See that the bed is in partial shade, and you will be delighted with the results. In the South, or where they cannot be planted in the shade of a house, a covering of burlap or canvas some six



Tuberous-Rooted Begonias.

or eight feet above them, will allow them to come to absolute perfection, but they must have plenty of light and air. Do not allow them to become dry. When through flowering they can be dried off, shaken free of earth, wrapped in cotton until May, when they may be started again.

**SINGLE**—White, yellow, crimson, rose, scarlet. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents, seven for 50 cents.

**DOUBLE**—In the same colors. Price, 15 cents, three for 40 cents, six for 75 cents.

## CALLA LILIES

**Black Calla, ARUM SANCTUM**—This is the famous Black Calla; it grows so very easily and produces Calla Lily shaped flowers that in color are coal black. This Lily produces the blackest flower of any plant in existence. It is simply jet black; stock is scarce. Price, 30 cents each, two for 50 cents.

**Calla Etiopica, EGYPTIAN LILY**—This is the well known Egyptian Lily, or Lily of the Nile, with large white flowers, broad foliage, and it will prosper under very adverse circumstances. Small plants, to bloom next winter, 10 cents; strong blooming bulbs, 25 cents each.

## TENDER BULBS—Continued

## CALLA LILIES—Concluded

**The New Godfrey Calla Lily, "DEVONIENSIS"**—Undoubtedly the finest thing ever sent out in the Calla line, and quite indispensable. Blooms all winter. Compared with the ordinary Calla, it gives three blooms to one; is snow-white and perfect in form. Blooms on very small plants, though it attains to a very large size with very large flowers. **Blooming bulbs, 30 cents each.**



The New Godfrey Calla Lily, "Devoniensis."

**New Dwarf Calla, LITTLE GEM**—This Calla only grows about eighteen inches high, and is the freest blooming of all the Callas. The bloom is pure white. The following facts will convince anyone of its great superiority over the old sort. Of dwarf habit. The same plant will grow and bloom for years, and the quantity of bloom which a good plant will produce is astonishing. A large plant is hardly ever without one or more flowers. All in all, it is one of the most desirable plants I ever offered. **Price, 15 cents, two for 25 cents.**

**Golden Yellow Calla, RICHARDIA ELLIOTTIANA**—It has the same habit of growth as the ordinary white variety, with flowers of same size and shape, but of a rich, clear, lustrous golden-yellow color. **Blooming bulbs, 35 cents.**

**Spotted Calla, RICHARDIA ALBA MACULATA**—Plant with beautiful spotted leaves. It flowers abundantly during the summer months when planted out in the open border. It makes a fine plant for the center of vases. The flowers are shaped like those of a Cala, and are pure white, shaded with violet inside. Keep dry in the winter, and start in the spring like a Dahlia. **Blooming bulbs, 10 cents, three for 25 cents; larger size, to produce a dozen blooms, 20 cents.**

**SPECIAL OFFER**—The Six Calla Lilies costing \$1.10, for 85 cents net.

## GLADIOLI

Twelve choice named Gladioli. These are choice kinds and a wide range of color. Try a set of twelve and see how beautiful Gladioli can be. **Price, 5 cents each, any six for 25 cents; the twelve for 50 cents.**

**AMERICA**—Large flesh-pink, tinted lavender; extra.

**AUGUSTA**—Lovely pure white, with blue anthers.

**BRECHLEYENSIS**—Vermilion-scarlet; very brilliant.

**CANARY BIRD**—A lemon-yellow of good size and substance.

**FLORIDA**—Fiery-red, white throat.

**F. BERGMAN**—Large orange-pink with carmine stains.

**JESSIE**—Fine velvety red, long spikes of flowers.

**JOHN BULL**—A grand salmon.

**KLONDYKE**—Light yellow, with crimson-maroon blotch.

**MME. MONNERET**—Delicate rose, with white stripe.

**MAY**—White, flaked with rosy-crimson.

**MRS. F. KING**—A light scarlet of pleasing shade.

## MONTBRETIAS

These are handsome flowering bulbs of the easiest culture; in fact, they are as easy to grow as Gladioli. The flowers are produced on long spikes and the richest shades of color imaginable. Indeed there is no flower that has so many gay, bright colors. Simply marvelous. They are cheap in price. Be sure and try them. Keep them dry and from freezing in the winter, like a Gladioli bulb. **Price, 3 cents each, the four brilliant colors for 10 cents, or a dozen assorted colors for 25 cents.**

**CROCOSMIAEFLORA**—Deep golden-orange, flushed red.

**SOLIEL COUCHANT**—Orange, with shades of vermillion.

**GERBE d'OR**—Bright, clear yellow.

**POTTSII**—Deep dazzling red; very showy.

**NOTE:**—The above Montbretias are the handsomest flowers there are to cut for bouquets. Nothing finer.

## Excelsior Pearl Tuberose

The Finest in Existence. All Blooming Bulbs.

**DWARF EXCELSIOR PEARL TUBEROSE**—Year after year its popularity has increased until the demand for it has reached enormous proportions. It grows about eighteen inches high, blooms early and with the greatest freedom, matures perfectly. Flowers pure white, very double and of immense size, and intensely sweet. This is the sweetest of all Tuberoses. **Fine, extra large, well-ripened bulbs, all sure to bloom, 5 cents, three for 10 cents, twelve for 35 cents.**

**AGAPANTHUS UMBELLATUS**, the Blue or African Lily—Bears clusters of bright blue flowers. Extra fine. **Price, 20 cents.**

**AMARYLLIS FORMOSISSIMA**—Flowers are rich, dark scarlet. **Price, 20 cents.**

**AMARYLLIS EQUESTRE**—(The Eagle Lily.) Color deep brick-red; extra fine. **Price, 20 cents.**

**AMARYLLIS JOHNSONII**—Dark red with a delicate white feather in each petal. **Price, 40 cents.**

**CYCLAMEN PERSICUM** or Persian Violet—Fine for house culture, blooming in the winter. **Price, 15 cents.**

**CALADIUM ESCULENTUM** or Elephant's Ear—Fine for yards. Mammoth leaves. Good bulbs, 10 cents, three for 25 cents; large bulbs, 25 cents, six for \$1.25; mammoth bulbs, 50 cents.

**EUCHARIS AMAZONICA**, the Eucharis Lily—Pure white fragrant flowers; very elegant. **Price, 35 cents.**

**GLOXINIAS**—Our strain is the best on the market. Start the bulbs at beginning of summer in a warm place. All colors. **Price, 10 cents each, three for 25 cents.**

**LILY, Milk and Wine**—Flowers three to four inches in diameter. Striped white and carmine. **Price, 25 cents.**

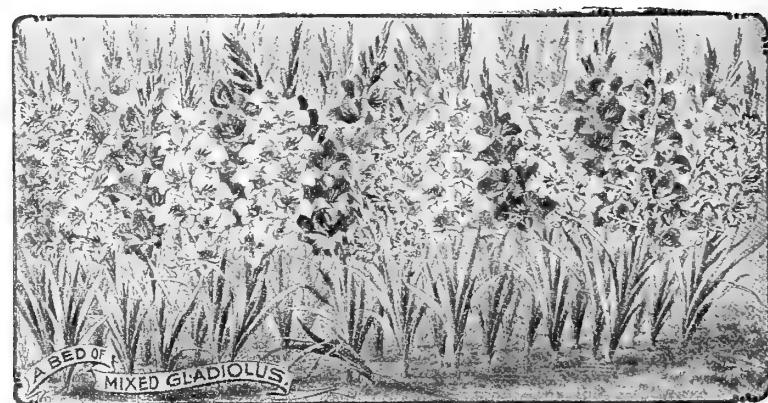
**FAIRY LILY**—Bears a great profusion of delicate pink flowers, very free bloomer and easy to grow, it is a wonder, try a few bulbs in a pan and you will never be without them. **Price, 10 cents each, three for 25 cents.**

**THE WHITE JAPANESE SPIDER LILY**—The florets are disposed in rays and resemble an immense spider. Of large size, pure white and deliciously fragrant. **Blooming bulbs, 25 cents.**

## TENDER BULBS—Concluded

### Pan-American Gladioli

**GLADIOLI, The Pan-American**—My Pan-American mixture is the best in the world, and I want to say to you candidly that you have never seen Gladioli until you see these flowers. This mixture includes all the new strains, such as "Gray's Inglesides," "Burbank's California Selects," "Childsii," and "Groff's Hybrids." They are very tall and erect, often standing four or five feet high, with spikes of bloom over two feet in length. They branch freely, in most cases each stem producing three or four spikes of bloom, and bloom much earlier than ordinary varieties. The flowers are of great substance and gigantic size, frequently seven to nine inches across. The form of both flower and spike is perfection itself, and they last in bloom a long time before fading, owing to their great substance and vigor. But the most remarkable feature is the coloring. Orchids cannot surpass them in varied and delicate shades, markings and blendings. Every color known among Gladioli is represented, and many never before seen, particularly blues, smoky grays and purple blacks, all having beautifully mottled and spotted throats made up of white, crimson, pink, yellow, etc., and in this peculiar network of charming spots and colors lies one of



its special points of unsurpassed beauty. They far outrank all other Gladioli in size of spike, size of bloom, vigor, varied and magnificent coloring and freedom of bloom. Price, 5 cents each, 50 cents per dozen, \$3.00 per hundred by express, you to pay expressage. Cheaper mixture, 3 cents each, two for 5 cents, twelve for 25 cents.

## HARDY VINES AND CLIMBERS

### Large Flowering Clematis

**JACKMANII**—This is perhaps the best known of the fine perpetual Clematis, and should have credit for the great popularity now attending this family of beautiful climbers, free in growth, abundant bloomer, producing flowers until frozen up. The flowers are large, and of an intense violet-purple, remarkable for their velvety richness. Price, 50 cents.

**BANGHOLM BELLE**—This is the finest of all white Clematis. Flowers large, of a beautiful creamy-white. Price, 50c.

**DUCHESS OF EDINBURGH**—This is, without doubt, the best of the double whites. Very free flowering; fragrant. Price, 50 cents.

**VILLE DE LYON**—The color is bright rosy-red, entirely distinct from any other sort. A persistent bloomer and strong grower, with large flowers. Price, 50 cents.

**GIPSY QUEEN**—A unique shade of Clematis, a pretty lavender-pink, a fine contrast to the strong-colored sorts. Rapid in growth and slender, graceful habit. Price, 50 cents.

**SIEBOLDI**—A lovely shade of lavender; very beautiful and distinct. Price, 50 cents.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—The set of six distinct large-flowering Clematis for \$2.25; any three for \$1.25. This is a bargain, as the roots are large and strong. The best you have ever seen.

### CLEMATIS PANICULATA

Covered in August and September with a sheet of clustered snow-white bloom of the most delicious fragrance. An arbor or portico over which this Clematis is trained is a wall of white for the time being, and it blooms when nearly all other vines have ceased blooming. Perfectly hardy; grows rapidly. Fine vines, 15 cents, two for 25 cents. Strong two-year field plants to bloom this year, 25 cents each.

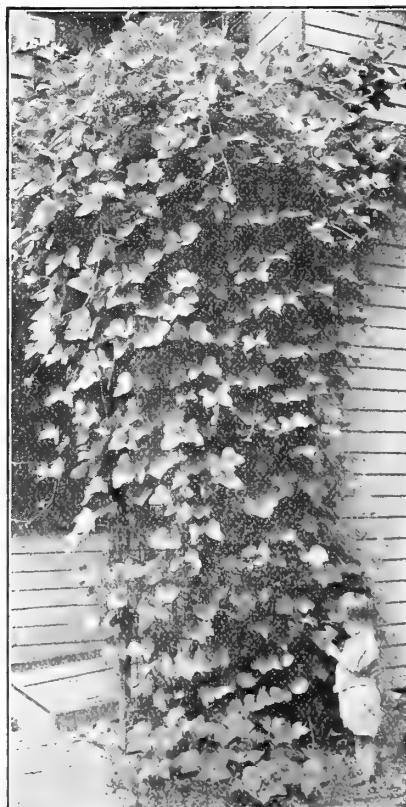
**AMPELOPSIS VEITCHII**—(The Boston Ivy.) Clings firmly to any wall, building or tree. Green leaves in summer, changing to red in the fall. Price, 10 cents each; two-year-old plants, 25 cents; three-year-old plants, 40 cents.

**CINNAMON VINE**—Bears white flowers with fine cinnamon fragrance. Price, 5 cents each, six for 25 cents.

**ENGLISH IVY**—This climber is in great demand for covering walls. Plan in the least exposed situation. Price, 15 cents.

**The Wonderful JAPANESE KUDZU VINE**—Jack and Bean Stalk Vine. This is the most rapid growing vine that anyone knows of. By measurement it has been known to grow twenty feet in a week. The foliage is large and tropical. It is entirely hardy. Everyone has trouble in getting nursery grown plants of this to grow. I have prepared and offer pot grown plants, the kind that have the crown to the plant and the ball of earth to the roots, and you try to stop them growing and see if you don't run into a snag. This is proving a great forage plant in the South. All kinds of stock prefer it to hay or other coarse feed. Try it. Price, 20 cents each, two for 35 cents.

**DUTCHMAN'S PIPE**—(*Aristolochia Siphon*) A very rapid-growing hardy climber. The flowers are long and shaped like an old Dutch pipe. Price, 35 cents.



Japanese Kudzu Vine.

# HARDY VINES AND CLIMBERS—Concluded

**HONEYSUCKLE AUREA RETICULATA**—(Golden-Leaved.) A variety with beautiful variegated foliage of yellow, white and pink. Price, 10 cents.

**HONEYSUCKLE CHINESE EVERGREEN**—Sweet-scented. Blooms nearly all the season; deliciously fragrant, flowers buff, yellow and white. Price, 10 cents.

**HONEYSUCKLE HALL'S JAPAN**—Sweet-scented. This is the most consistent bloomer of the class, being literally covered all summer with beautiful yellow and white flowers; very fragrant. Price, 10 cents.

**HONEYSUCKLE SCARLET TRUMPET, or Red Coral**—A rapid grower, bright red with trumpet-shaped flowers. This is the old, well-known variety. Price, 10 cents.

**HONEYSUCKLE YELLOW TRUMPET**—Golden, trumpet-shaped flowers; fragrant. Price, 10 cents.

The set of five Honeysuckles for 40 cents.

**LATHYRUS, Perennial Pea**—Both pink and white. Price, 15 cents each.

**CHINESE MATRIMONY VINE**—Pale purple flowers followed by scarlet berries. A rapid and desirable climber. Price, 10 cents.

**CHINESE WISTARIA**—Desirable for porches, trellises, etc., and when in full bloom is truly magnificent. It flowers in early spring, in long, drooping racemes, resembling in size and shape a bunch of grapes. Price, 10 cents; large plants, 25 cents.

**SOLANUM "PRIDE OF THE GARDEN" (Azureum)**—This is, I think, one of the grandest of all hardy vines for the garden. It is a good vigorous grower, bearing its magnificent vermillion-scarlet berries in great profusion. It blooms and sets fruit all the summer long and is a gorgeous sight with its emerald-green foliage, delicate lavender flowers, and bright scarlet berries. It has this one peculiarity; bearing at the same time flowers, green berries and ripe berries; very few plants do this. Fine plants to bloom and fruit this year, 20 cents each.

# Hardy BORDER PLANTS and BULBS

## Hardy Begonia Evansiana

Think of it! A hardy Begonia, one that stood twenty degrees below zero last winter, and came up and bloomed all summer. Another thing in its favor, it requires shade to grow in, at least partial shade. So many persons write me asking for plants suitable for shady places. Well, Begonia Evansiana fills the bill. It is a wonderful beautiful Begonia, having pendulous flowers in large racemes almost covering the entire plant. Color a sparkling pink that is simply entrancing. Everybody will want a hardy Begonia. It is also fine for pot culture. Price for plants or bulbs to bloom this summer, 25 cents.



Photograph of New Hardy Begonia, Evansiana.

## Burbank's Shasta Daisies

**SHASTA DAISIES**—(New.) The Shasta Daisy is one of the most marvelous productions in the flower line that has ever been brought to the notice of floriculturists. It is the first of a new type which has been obtained by hybridization and rigid selection through a series of years. Its first qualification is extreme hardiness. Second, it is perennial, blooming better and more abundantly each season. Third, it is not particular as to soil. Fourth, it blooms for several months. Fifth, the flowers are extremely large and graceful, averaging about four inches in diameter, with petals of the purest glistening whiteness, which are borne on single, long, stiff, wiry stems. Sixth, the blooms when cut remain perfectly fresh and in good condition for two weeks or more. No other flower can compare with it in usefulness. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

## The New Hardy Ever-Blooming Carnation "CRIMSON KING"

Everybody has asked for a Carnation that would live out in the garden during the winter. I have pleasure in offering this new plant, as it will fill the bill. It is absolutely hardy, standing the Canadian winters in the yard. It blooms all summer long, never a day that you cannot cut blossoms. The color is a rich crimson; the fragrance is delicious. Price for plants to bloom this summer, 25 cents each.

## HARDY LILIES

**ELEGANS**—(Thunbergian Lily.) Truly magnificent, being Tulip-shaped, and blooms in June or early July. The blossoms are large and exceedingly showy, being of a brilliant red, flamed yellow. Price, 25 cents.

**LILUM AURATUM**—(Golden-Rayed Queen of Lilies.) This is the grandest Lily grown, and a never-failing delight. The perfume is exquisite—light, yet penetrating. Also known as "Gold banded Lily from Japan." Price, 25 cents; three for 60 cents.

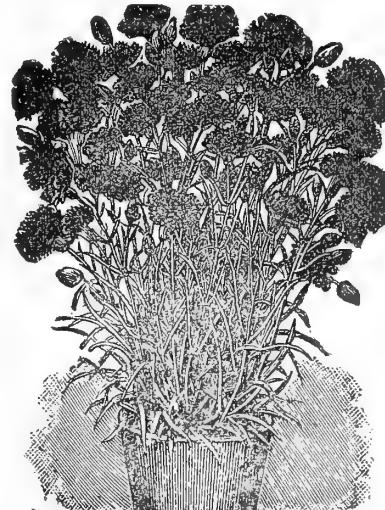
**CANDIDUM**—(The Ascension Lily.) The well-known hardy garden Lily. Snow-white, fragrant blossoms. One of the best and an established favorite. Price, 20c; three for 50c.

**HARRISII**—(The Bermuda or Easter Lily.) Pot and treat the same as for Hyacinths. Each bulb will give from six to twelve flowers, in many cases many more. The flowers are fully six inches in length, of the purest white and of the most delicious fragrance. Fine bulbs, 25 cents.

**SPECIOSUM RUBRUM**—A beautiful bright rose, spotted with a dark velvety crimson. Price, 25 cents; three for 60 cents.

**SPECIOSUM ALBUM**—Very fragrant; large flowers; a pure white, with a green band running through the center of each petal; one of the best. Price, 30c; two for 50c.

**TIGRINUM FLORE PLENO**—(The Double Tiger Lily.) Bright Orange, spotted black and very double. Price, 10c; 3 for 25c.



Hardy Carnation Crimson King.

# Hardy BORDER PLANTS and BULBS—Continued

## IRIS GERMANICA

(GERMAN IRIS)—"The Fleur de Lis" of France.

There is nothing prettier than the German Iris blooming from May 10th to June 10th. The colors are gorgeous, and they completely hide the plant. Be sure and plant some German Iris. Perfectly hardy.

**PALLIDA DALMATICA, or Heavenly Blue**—Standards delicate lavender; falls clear deep lavender; flowers very large and extra fine. Price, 25 cents each.

**HONORABILIS, or Sans Souci**—Standards golden-yellow, falls rich mahogany-brown; very effective. Price, 10 cents each.

**PURPLE PRINCE**—Standards intense deep violet-blue; falls velvety dark purple; exceedingly rich and striking. Price, 10 cents.

**FLORENTINA**—Creamy-white, faintly flushed lavender; fragrant and early. This is the Orris root of commerce, being used for the manufacture of toilet powder. The roots are delicately perfumed. Price, 15 cents each.

**MADAME CHEREAU**—Standards and falls white, elegantly frilled with a wide border of clear blue; very beautiful. Price, 15 cents.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—The five German Iris for 60 cents.

## IMPERIAL JAPANESE IRIS



Little wonder that a plant so boldly decorative in outline and bearing a flower of exquisite coloring so marvelously formed should make its strongest appeal to the artistic Japanese. From these foremost gardeners of the world has come a strain of Irises that neither Orchids nor Lilies can rival in beauty of form, texture, coloring, markings and general effectiveness.—The Garden Magazine.

Perfectly hardy. Price, 20 cents; three distinct varieties for 50 cents; set of eight fine sorts for \$1.25.

**GEKKA-NO-NAMI**—(Waves on Moonlight.) Large double white, center gold and yellow; extra.

**KUMOMA-NO-SORA**—(Sky Amidst the Clouds.) White, edged and flushed with blue, center banded yellow.

**GEISHA-UI**—(Gown of Fairy.) Deep mahogany-red, base of petals lighter.

**ISO-NO-NAMI**—(Shallow Waves.) Fine porcelain-blue, blotted deeper, center rosy-lilac, flushed with gold.

**PURPLE AND GOLD**—Rich purple, gold center, radiating out into fine pencilings; fine.

**PYRAMID**—Light violet-blue, shading to delicate blue, suffused with royal purple.

**SENJO-NO-HORA**—(Bottomless Cave.) Blotched and veined violet-red, center of purple and gold.

**SHICHIUKWA**—(Flower in Wine.) White, bordered reddish-amaranth, center flushed gold.

## LILY OF THE VALLEY

The Lily of the Valley is one of those delicate, sweet little flowers that not only easily wins our love, but keeps it forever. Put four or five or a half dozen pips or bulbs in a pot, and in about four or five weeks they will flower. In the spring transfer them to the garden. Fine pips, 5 cents; 35 cents per doz.

**AQUILEGIA, or Columbine**—All colors. Price, 10 cents.

**ASTILBE GLADSTONE**—Pure white in large plumes. Price, 15 cents.

**ASTILBE QUEEN ALEXANDRA**—Large feathery plumes of bright pink. Price, 25 cents.

**ANTIRRHINUM, or Snap Dragons**—All colors—white, pink, scarlet, yellow, etc. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

**COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA GRANDIFLORA**—Golden-yellow, invaluable for cutting. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

**DIGITALIS**—(Foxglove) Gloxinia-like flowers; fine assorted colors. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

**DAISY SNOWCREST**—A perfectly double white flower. Price, 10 cents.

**DELPHINIUM FORMOSUM**—(Larkspur.) No flower has such a lovely celestial blue color as this exquisite Larkspur. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

**DICENTRA SPECTABILIS, or Bleeding Heart**—Price, 15c.

**EULALIA JAPONICA ZEBRINA**—(Hardy Grass.) Striped across the leaves; fine plume. Price, 10 cents.

**EULALIA JAPONICA VARIEGATA**—(Hardy Grass.) Striped white and green; bears elegant plumes. Price, 10 cents.

**EULALIA GRACILIS UNIVITATA**—(Hardy Grass.) Makes immense clumps; very graceful. Price, 10 cents, the three grasses for 25 cents.

**FUNKIA SUBCORDATA GRANDIFLORA**—(The White Plantain or Day Lily.) Pure white lily-shaped, fragrant flowers. Price, 15 cents.

**FUNKIA MEDIO VARIEGATA**—Green and white foliage with lavender flowers. Price, 10 cents.

**GYPSOPHYLLUM PANICULATA**, or Baby's Breath—Fine mist-like flower. This is grand for bouquets. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

**GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA**—(Blanket Flower.) The center is dark red-brown, petals marked with rings of brilliant crimson-orange and vermillion. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

**HEMEROCALLIS FLAVA**—(The Lemon Lily.) This is entirely hardy and bears flowers of a lemon-yellow color. Very desirable. Price, 10 cents; three for 25 cents.

**HYACINTHUS CANDICANS**—Large spikes of pure white. The hardy Hyacinth. Price, 5 cents, six for 25 cents.

**HIBISCUS CRIMSON EYE**—Belongs to the family of mallow, flowers six inches across; color pure white with pronounced eye of deep crimson. Price, 10 cents.

**LOBELIA CARDINALIS**—(Cardinal Flower.) Rich fiery-cardinal flowers; strong plants, often producing ten to eighteen spikes twelve to twenty-four inches long. Price, 10 cents.

**PLUMBAGO LARPENTAE** or Lady Larpent—Deep royal blue flowers. This is an elegant plant. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

**HARDY SCOTCH or SWEET MAY PINKS**—These are the pinks of our mothers' gardens; all colors. Price, 10 cents each, three distinct colors for 25 cents.

**NEW HARDY SCOTCH PINK "HER MAJESTY"**—Pure white flowers; fine for cemetery. Price, 10c, three for 25c.

**MYOSOTIS PALUSTRIS, FORGET-ME-NOT**—Everybody's favorite. Price, 10 cents.

**PLATYCODON GRANDIFLORUM**—(Bush Clematis.) A free flowering plant covered with flowers that resemble somewhat the Clematis; two colors, deep blue and pure white. Price, 10 cents each, the two for 15 cents.

# Hardy BORDER PLANTS and BULBS—Concluded

**RUDBECKIA LACINIATA**—(Golden Glow.) Grows six to eight feet high, bearing hundreds of double yellow blossoms; it is very desirable. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

**SAGE HOLT'S MAMMOTH**—A variety of unusual substance, strong flavor and superior quality. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

**STOKESIA CYANEA or CORNFLOWER ASTER**—Grows eighteen to twenty-four inches high, flowers lavender-blue; four to five inches in diameter, borne from June to October. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

**SWEET WILLIAM**—A fine collection of all colors—white, scarlet, maroon. Red on white ground. Violet on white ground. Holborn Glory or Auricula-flowered. Price, 10 cents, three for 25 cents, seven for 50 cents.

**HARDY BLUE SALVIA**—(*Caryopteris Mastacanthus*) A grand plant bearing rich lavender-blue flowers. Be sure and try this plant, it will please you. Price, 10 cents.

**YUCCA FILAMENTOSA**—(*Spanish Dagger*) Blooms every year, bearing long stalks surmounted with large umbels or heads of white flowers. Price, 10 cents each; larger, 25c.

## Hardy Deciduous

**ALMOND**—(*Amygdalus*) A beautiful small shrub bearing in May their beautiful flowers before the leaves appear. The old-time Shrub of our grandmothers' gardens. Two-year plants, 50 cents each.

**AMYGDALUS JAPONICA ALBO PLENO**—Dwarf double white flowered almond.

**AMYGDALUS JAPONICA RUBRO PLENO**—Dwarf double red flowered almond.

**AZALEA MOLLIS**—The most brilliant and showy of all hardy Shrubs, exceeding even the Rhododendron, and entirely hardy without protection in all situations. The bloom, which varies in color from the intense rosy-crimson to lemon-yellow, literally covers the compact, spreading plant, forming a huge bouquet, and which remains in perfection for a long time in May and June. Massed they produce an effect that is actually brilliant and dazzling. Plants ready to bloom. Price, 50 cents, three for \$1.25.

**BUXUS (Ornamental Box)**—*Sempervirens*. Useful for edging and bordering, walks, etc. A handsome shrub with deep green foliage. This is not as dwarf as the *Sempervirens Nana*, but we find it so much more vigorous and hardy that we advise planting this and trimming to height required. Price, 5 cents each, 50 cents per dozen, postpaid; by express, purchaser to pay expressage, \$3.00 per hundred.

**CHIONANTHUS VIRGINICA**—White fringe. A small native tree or shrub of roundish form with large glossy leaves and drooping racemes of pure white flowers, having narrow fringe-like petals; blossoms in May or June. A superb lawn tree. Two-year plants, 35 cents each.

**CALYCANTHUS FLORIDUS**—(Carolina Allspice or Sweet Scented Shrub.) A most desirable Shrub. The wood is fragrant, flowers of a rare chocolate color, having a peculiar agreeable odor that is very penetrating. They blossom in June and at intervals afterwards. Fine plants, 10 cents, strong two-year-old plants, 25 cents.

**CYDONIA JAPONICA**—(Japan Quince.) Has bright scarlet flowers in great profusion in the early spring; one of the best shrubs. Fine plants, 25 cents each.

**DEUTZIAS**—Their fine habit, luxuriant foliage and profusion of bloom render them among the most beautiful of Shrubs. They flower the latter part of June.

**DEUTZIA GRACILIS**—Dwarf habit. Covers itself with pure white bell-shaped flowers. Price, 15 cents each; strong plants, 25 cents.

**DEUTZIA GRACILIS ROSEA**—Same as above, but pink flowers. Price, 15 cents each.

**DEUTZIA CRENATA, Fl. Pl.**—Flowers double white, tinged with rose. Price, 15 cents; two-year plants, 25 cents.

**DEUTZIA PRIDE OF ROCHESTER**—Large double white flowers. Price, 15 cents; two-year plants, 25 cents.

**DEUTZIA LEMOINEII**—Habit dwarf and free flowering; double white flowers. Price, 15c; two-year plants, 25c.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—Five Deutzias for 60 cents.

**FORSYTHIA VIRIDISSIMA**—(Golden Bell.) The flowers are drooping, yellow and appear very early in the spring before the leaves. Price, 10 cents; two-year plants, 25 cents.

**New Hydrangea "HILLS OF SNOW"**—This is the great new hardy shrub that has come to gladden our yards and gardens. We place it first and foremost of all shrubs. It makes a perfectly round symmetrical bush that is covered from June to August with handsome large pure white flowers. Be sure and plant this new hardy shrub, it will please you greatly. Price, young plants, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents. Strong two-year-old plants, 40 cents each; three for \$1.00. Large specimen plants to bloom at once, 75 cents each.

**HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA**—A great favorite, and there is nothing finer or more showy, whether for planting in large masses in parks or for single plants on the smallest lawns. Blooms profusely from July until frost, in immense white panicles, tinted with pink and then with brown in the fully matured flower. The plant should be cut back each spring fully one-half of the past season's growth, as the flowers are much finer if the plant is treated in this manner. The flowers are much finer and larger if grown in a good, rich soil, but the plant is so hardy and easily grown that success is almost certain in any kind of soil and in any situation. Young plants, 15 cents, three for 40 cents. Strong flowering plants for immediate effect, two years old, 35 to 50 cents, according to size.

## Shrubs and Trees



Hydrangea "Hills of Snow."

**TREE-SHAPED HYDRANGEAS**—These are fine specimen plants four and five years old, trained to tree shape, with about three feet of straight stem and nice shaped heads. Should bloom profusely the first year. Before shipping they are all trimmed the proper length for planting so that they will make a better growth and larger flowers. **By express only, 50 cents, three for \$1.25.**

**HIBISCUS SYRIACUS**—(Althea or Rose of Sharon.) Also known as the Hollyhock Shrub, belongs to the Mallow family. These are the most beautiful shrubs we have in our collection. The flowers are of large size, very double and full of various brilliant and striking colors. They bloom freely during August and September, when scarcely any other Shrub is in bloom. Six varieties: *Jean d'Arc*, double white; *Boule de Feu*, double red; *Paeoniflorus*, double pink; *Violet Claire*, double violet; *Bicolor Hybrida*, double variegated; *Snowdrift* (*Totus Albus*), single, pure white—this is the best of all Altheas. **Twelve to eighteen inches high, 15 cents, two for 25 cents, the set of six for 60 cents; fine plants two feet high, well branched, 20 cents, three for 50 cents, the set of six for 90 cents.**

**JASMINE PRIMULINUM**—(New.) This is a grand new hardy Jasmine of bushy growth; star-shaped yellow flowers. Try this plant. Price, 20 cents.

## PHILADELPHUS

### Syringa, Mock Orange

These are invaluable shrubs blooming in June. Fine plants, 15 cents; two-year plants, 25 cents.

**PHILADELPHUS CORONARIUS**—(Garland Syringa.) Pure white flowers highly scented.

**PHILADELPHUS GRANDIFLORUS**—(Large-Flowered Syringa.) Has very showy large white flowers, delicate fragrance.

# HARDY DECIDUOUS SHRUBS AND TREES

## CONCLUDED

### Lemoine's New Philadelphus

**MANTEAU D'HERMINE**—(Cape of Ermine.) Dwarf growth with long, slender branches densely covered from base to top with sweet scented double flowers of creamy-white. In fact the flowers are borne in such great profusion as to totally obscure the plant. Price, 50 cents.

**MONT BLANC**—The branches of this beautiful variety are covered with white flowers that are deliciously fragrant. A grand species. Price, 50 cents each.

**NOTE**—The above two new *Philadelphus* are away ahead of the old varieties. Being dwarf they are superb for hedge planting.

**RHUS COTINUS**—(Sumach.) (Purple Fringe or Smoke Tree.) A much admired shrub for its curious fringe or hair-like flowers that cover the whole surface of the plant in mid-summer. Fine plants, 25 cents.

### SYRINGA (Lilac)

Well known beautiful shrubs, indispensable in every collection. It is doubtful if anything in the whole range of flowering shrubs surpasses these in grace and elegance, or in hardiness and usefulness. As decorative plants on the lawn or in the border, they are without a peer. All of the Lilacs are deliciously fragrant. **One-year plants of Lilacs, twelve to eighteen inches high, 25 cents each; two-year plants, branched, eighteen to twenty-four inches, 50 cents each; the set of nine Lilacs, in one-year-old plants, for \$1.75, in two-year plants the nine for \$3.50.**



Lilacs.

**ALPHONSE LAVALLE**—Double dark blue shading to violet. Extra large panicles, beautiful.

**CHARLES X**—A strong, rapid growing variety with large, shining leaves, trusses large, rather loose; reddish-purple.

**DR. STOCKHART**—Single wine-red. Extra fine trusses.

**JOSIKAE**—(Hungarian Lilac.) A fine distinct species, with dark shining leaves and purple flowers in June after other Lilacs are done flowering. Extra fine.

### HEDGE PLANTS

We Here Name the Most Suitable Plants for Hedges.

### BERBERIS (Barberry)

**THUNBERGII**—From Japan. A pretty species of dwarf habit. Small foliage changing to a beautiful coppery red in autumn. A slower grower than the privets, but needs no trimming and is a feast for the eye when full grown. **One-year plants, 15 cents each; \$1.25 dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.**

**MADAME CASMIR PERIET**—Very large, creamy-white; superb.

**MADAME LEMOINE**—A superb double flowering white variety; can't be beat.

**MARIE LEGRAYE**—Large panicles of single white flowers. The finest white Lilac.

**MICHAEL BUCHNER**—Very large, erect panicles of pale lilac; superb.

**PERSICA ALBA**—(White Persian Lilac.) Delicate white fragrant flower shades with purple, rare.

**PRESIDENT GREVY**—A beautiful blue. Individual flowers very double and very large. The panicle is magnificent; one of the finest Lilacs.

**SOUVENIR DE LOUIS SPAETHE**—Long panicles of large individual flowers, dark purplish-red; very distinct. Superb.

**VILLOSA**—Color light pink, almost white, one of the latest to bloom; very showy.

**VULGARIS**—(Common Lilac.) Bluish purple flowers. A standard variety. Always good.

**VULGARIS ALBA**—Common white Lilac, very large trusses of cream colored flowers. Extra.

### SPIREA

(Meadow Sweet.) These are beautiful shrubs of the easiest culture, very desirable for planting on the lawn in groups or as single specimens. Their blooming extends over a period of three months. **One-year, 15 cents each; strong two-year-old plants, 25 cents each.**

**ANTHONY WATERER**—This beautiful gem makes a low, compact bush, and is covered nearly the whole growing season with large umbels of deep crimson flowers which measure nearly a foot across. When scarcely three inches high it begins to bloom, and therefore is seldom out of flower. As a pot plant or for growing in the open ground, nothing can equal it. Perfectly hardy, it is unquestionably one of the really meritorious plants that we cannot have too many of.

**PRUNIFOLIA FL. PI.**—(Bridal Wreath.) A beautiful shrub from Japan, with double pure white flowers like white daisies in May. Keeps in flower a long time and justly merits to be placed in the front rank among flowering shrubs.

**VAN HOUTTEI**—At the flowering season in May and early June, the plant is covered with a mass of large white flowers, presenting a beautiful appearance. Very hardy; one of the finest shrubs in the catalogue.

### SNOWBALL (Viburnum)

**VIBURNUM OPULUS STERILIS**—(Guelder Rose.) A well known favorite shrub of large size, with globular clusters of pure white flowers. The Snowball of our mothers' gardens. Blooms in May. **One-year plants, 15 cents; two-year plants, 25 cents.**

### WEIGELA (Diervilla)

They produce in June and July superb large trumpet-shaped flowers that almost hide the plant. They are very desirable for the border or for grouping, and as specimens on the lawn. **One-year plants, 15 cents; strong two-year plants, 30c each.**

**CANDIDA**—A vigorous, erect grower, flowers pure white and produced in great profusion in June, and the plants continue to bloom through the summer, even until autumn.

**EVA RATHKE**—A charming Weigela flower, brilliant crimson. A beautiful distinct clear shade.

**ROSEA**—An elegant shrub with fine rose colored flowers of erect compact growth. Blossoms in June.

**ROSEA NANA VARIEGATA**—Of dwarf habit and possessing clearly defined silvery variegated leaves. Flowers nearly white. It stands the sun well.

### LIGUSTRUM PRIVET

**AMURENSE**—(Amoor River Privet.) This is a very graceful plant, requires little trimming. The leaf is small and rounded, plant branching, has not the stiff or formal effect that the California Privet has. **Two-year, eighteen to twenty-four inches, branched, 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen, postpaid; by express, purchaser to pay expressage, \$5.00 per hundred.**

**OLIVALIFOLIA**—(California Privet.) This makes when pruned a very formal hedge, will grow almost anywhere, thriving where other plants refuse to grow. **Two-year, eighteen to twenty-four inches, branched, 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen, postpaid; by express, purchaser to pay expressage, \$5.00 per hundred.**

# CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS

ANY SIX PACKETS PRICED AT 5 CENTS SENT FOR 25 CENTS.

|  | Price per pkt. | Price per pkt.  |     |
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| <i>Abrus Precatorius</i> —West India Weather Plant               | 5c             | Digitalis—(Foxglove.) All colors, mixed.....                              | 5c  |
| <i>Achillea, The Pearl</i> —Hardy; pure white double flowers.    | 10c            | Double Daisy—( <i>Bellis Perennis</i> .) Hardy; all colors.....           | 10c |
| <i>Ageratum</i> —Imperial dark blue.....                         | 5c             | Daisy, <i>Shasta</i> —New, fine, large pure white.....                    | 15c |
| <i>Ageratum</i> —Imperial pure white.....                        | 5c             | <i>Eschscholtzia</i> —(California Poppy.) All colors, mixed.....          | 10c |
| <i>Adlumia Cirrhosa</i> —Allegheny Vine, or Mountain Fringe.     | 5c             | Euphorbia Variegata, or <i>Snow-on-the-Mountain</i> .....                 | 5c  |
| <i>Agathaea Celestes</i> (Blue Daisy)—Hardy perennial.....       | 10c            | Forget-Me-Not, or <i>Myosotis</i> —Mixed colors.....                      | 5c  |
| <i>Alyssum, Sweet</i> —The old favorite; very fragrant.....      | 5c             | Freesia—Pure white winter bloomer.....                                    | 5c  |
| <i>Alyssum, Little Gem</i> —New dwarf variety.....               | 5c             | Gaillardia, or <i>Blanket Flower</i> —Mixed colors.....                   | 5c  |
| <i>Ambrosia</i> —Foliage and flowers very fragrant.....          | 5c             | Geranium—Single mixed; all colors.....                                    | 5c  |
| <i>Anchusa Capensis</i> —Cape Forget-Me-Not.....                 | 5c             | Geranium—Double mixed; all colors.....                                    | 25c |
| <i>Antigonon Leptopus</i> , or <i>Mountain Beauty</i> .....      | 5c             | Gourds, Ornamental—All kinds, mixed.....                                  | 5c  |
| <i>Antirrhinum, Tall Mixed</i> —Tall Snapdragon; all colors.     | 5c             | Gypsophila—(Angel's Breath.) Hardy; mixed colors.....                     | 5c  |
| <i>Antirrhinum, Dwarf Mixed</i> —Dwarf Snapdragon; all colors    | 5c             | <i>Godecia</i> , or <i>Satin Flower</i> —Choicest varieties.....          | 5c  |
| <i>Aquilegia, Double Mixed</i> —All colors of Columbine.....     | 5c             | <i>Helianthus</i> , or <i>Sunflower</i> —Mammoth Russian.....             | 5c  |
| <i>Aquilegia, Single Mixed</i> —All colors of Columbine.....     | 5c             | <i>Helianthus</i> , or <i>Sunflower</i> —Globous Fistulosus.....          | 5c  |
| <i>Aristolochia Siphon</i> —“Dutchman's Pipe,” fine.....         | 10c            | <i>Helianthus</i> , or <i>Sunflower</i> —Miniature.....                   | 5c  |
| <i>Arabis Alpina</i> —Hardy white perennial.....                 | 5c             | <i>Hibiscus, Crimson Eye</i> —Hardy; white, crimson eye.....              | 5c  |
| <i>Aster Victoria</i> —Apple-blossom pink.....                   | 10c            | <i>Hibiscus, Hybrida</i> —Hardy; all colors mixed.....                    | 5c  |
| <i>Aster Victoria</i> —Crimson on white.....                     | 10c            | <i>Hollyhocks, Mammoth Allegheny</i> —Mixed colors.....                   | 10c |
| <i>Aster Victoria</i> —Indigo-blue on white.....                 | 10c            | <i>Hollyhocks</i> —Rainbow mixture of prize Hollyhocks.....               | 10c |
| <i>Aster Victoria</i> —Light blue.....                           | 10c            | <i>Heliotrope</i> —Very fragrant; all colors, mixed.....                  | 5c  |
| <i>Aster, Imperial Dwarf Mixture</i> —All colors.....            | 10c            | <i>Ipomea, Heavenly Blue</i> —The blue Moonflower.....                    | 5c  |
| <i>Aster, Dwarf Snowball</i> —A pure white ball.....             | 10c            | <i>Ipomea Grandiflora Alba</i> —The white Moonflower.....                 | 5c  |
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| <i>Aster, Giant Branching</i> —Clear pink.....                   | 10c            | <i>Lavender</i> —The old-fashioned Sweet Lavender.....                    | 5c  |
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| <i>Aster, Giant Branching</i> —Light blue.....                   | 10c            | <i>Lantana, or Shrubby Verbena</i> —All colors.....                       | 5c  |
| <i>Aster, Giant Branching</i> —Royal purple.....                 | 10c            | <i>Lemon Verbena</i> —Very fragrant; lemon-scented foliage.....           | 5c  |
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| <i>Aster, Giant Peony-Flowered</i> —All colors, mixed.....       | 10c            | <i>Marigold Eldorado, or Dahlia-flowered</i> —Best of all.....            | 5c  |
| <i>Aster, Giant Comet</i> —Snow-white, delicate lavender, dark   | 10c            | <i>Mignonette, Giant Machet</i> —Giant, fragrant flowers.....             | 5c  |
| blue, clear pink and mixed, each.....                            |                | <i>Mignonette Odorata, or Sweet Mignonette</i> —All colors                | 5c  |
| <i>Aster, Yellow Queen</i> —A fine sulphur-yellow color.....     | 10c            | mixed.....  |     |
| <i>Aster, Washington or Jubilee</i> —All colors, mixed.....      | 10c            | <i>Morning Glories</i> — <i>Convolvulus Major</i> , common <i>Morning</i> | 5c  |
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| <i>Aster, China or Common Mixed</i> —In twenty colors.....       | 5c             | <i>Morning Glories, Japanese</i> —All colors, mixed.....                  | 10c |
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| <i>Anemone (Wind Flower)</i> —Hardy mixed colors.....            | 5c             | <i>Nasturtium, Dwarf Ladybird</i> —Golden-yellow.....                     | 5c  |
| <i>Ampelopsis Veitchii</i> —(Boston Ivy.) A hardy climber.....   | 5c             | <i>Nasturtium, Dwarf Chameleon</i> —Crimson and bronze.....               | 5c  |
| <i>Balsam Apple</i> —A rapid and pretty climber.....             | 5c             | <i>Nasturtium, Dwarf, Empress of India</i> —Crimson-scarlet.....          | 5c  |
| <i>Balsam, Camellia-Flowered</i> —All colors, mixed.....         | 5c             | <i>Nasturtium, Dwarf Spotted King</i> —Orange, spotted maroon.....        | 5c  |
| <i>Balsam, or Touch-Me-Nots</i> —Lady Slippers; all colors.....  | 5c             | <i>Nasturtium, Dwarf, Tom Thumb</i> —All colors, mixed.....               | 5c  |
| <i>Bird of Paradise</i> —Orange-red; flowers in clusters.....    | 5c             | Per ounce, 20 cents.  |     |
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| <i>Coreopsis Grandiflora Lanceolata</i> —Hardy yellow.....       | 5c             | <i>Nasturtium, Tall, Lucifer</i> —Richest dark scarlet.....               | 5c  |
| <i>Campanula</i> —(Canterbury Bell.) Double mixed.....           | 5c             | <i>Nasturtium, Tall, Sunrise</i> —Magnificent pure yellow.....            | 5c  |
| <i>Campanula</i> —(Canterbury Bell.) Single mixed.....           | 5c             | <i>Nasturtium, Tall, Mme. Gunther's Hybrids</i> —All colors.              | 5c  |
| <i>Campanula, Cup and Saucer</i> —Mixed.....                     | 5c             | Per ounce, 20 cents.  |     |
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| <i>Candytuft, Snow Queen</i> —Pure white.....                    | 5c             | <i>Nasturtium, Canary Bird Flower</i> —Charming vine.....                 | 5c  |
| <i>Candytuft, Giant Hyacinth-Flowered</i> —Mixed.....            | 5c             | <i>Nigella</i> —(Love-in-a-Mist, or Devil-in-a-Bush).....                 | 5c  |
| <i>Candytuft, New Dwarf Hybrid</i> —Mixed color.....             | 5c             | <i>Nicotiana Sanderae</i> —All colors.....                                | 10c |
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| <i>Cannas</i> —The dwarf French ever-bloomers, mixed.....        | 10c            | <i>Oxalis</i> —Mixed, all colors.....                                     | 5c  |
| <i>Carnations, King of the Scarlets</i> —Glowing scarlet.....    | 25c            | <i>Pansy, Imperial German</i> —Best; all colors.....                      | 10c |
| <i>Carnations, Giant Marguerite</i> —Mixed colors.....           | 25c            | <i>Pansy, Peacock</i> —Fancy flowers; mixed.....                          | 10c |
| <i>Carnation, Double Mixed</i> —All colors.....                  | 20c            | <i>Pansy, Victoria Red</i> —Beautiful deep red.....                       | 10c |
| <i>Centaurea Imperialis</i> —Mixed colors.....                   | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Giant Trimardeau</i> —A fancy strain.....                       | 10c |
| <i>Centaurea Cyanus</i> —Ragged Sailor, Cornflower, Blue Bot-    | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Sweet-scented</i> —All colors, mixed.....                       | 10c |
| tie, Bachelor's Button, mixed colors.....                        |                | <i>Pansy, Baines International Mixture</i> —Grand.....                    | 10c |
| <i>Centaurea Gymnocarpa</i> —Dusty Miller.....                   | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Snow Queen</i> —Pure white.....                                 | 5c  |
| <i>Centaurea Candidissima</i> —Dusty Miller.....                 | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Midnight</i> —Glossy black color.....                           | 5c  |
| <i>Celosia Cristata, or Coxcomb</i> —Glasgow prize dwarf va-     | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Azure Blue</i> —Very fine; a beautiful shade.....               | 5c  |
| riety .....  |                | <i>Pansy, Bronze Color</i> —A new and striking color.....                 | 5c  |
| <i>Celosia Cristata, or Coxcomb</i> —Tall mixed.....             | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Cliveden Purple</i> —A rich dark purple.....                    | 5c  |
| <i>Celosia Cristata, or Coxcomb</i> —Dwarf mixed.....            | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Dark Blue</i> —Rich and lasting.....                            | 5c  |
| <i>Centrosema Grandiflora</i> —(Butterfly Pea.) Hardy vine.....  | 10c            | <i>Pansy, Fawn Color</i> —A beautiful shade of fawn.....                  | 5c  |
| <i>Chrysanthemum Annual</i> —Mixed colors.....                   | 5c             | <i>Pansy, King of the Blacks</i> —Almost coal black.....                  | 5c  |
| <i>Chrysanthemum Annual, Morning Star</i> —Yellow.....           | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Mahogany-Colored</i> —A beautiful color.....                    | 5c  |
| <i>Chrysanthemum Annual, Coronarium</i> —Double white.....       | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Marbled Rose</i> —Handsome combinations of color                |     |
| <i>Cobea Scandens</i> —Bell-shaped flowers; climbing.....        | 5c             | on various grounds.....   |     |
| <i>Cosmos</i> —(Early Hybrids.) Mixed colors.....                | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Yellow Gem</i> —Generally true to color.....                    | 5c  |
| <i>Cosmos, Giant Mixed</i> —All colors.....                      | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Brilliant</i> —Bright coppery colors, not strictly red.         | 5c  |
| <i>Cypress Vine</i> —Mixed seed; fine climber.....               | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Striped and Mottled</i> —Fine and exceedingly beau-             |     |
| <i>Coleus</i> —Finest mixed.....                                 | 10c            | iful.....   |     |
| <i>Cucumber, Wild</i> —A rampant climber; fine for shade.....    | 5c             | <i>Pansy, Violet Queen</i> —White border, somewhat resembling             |     |
| <i>Dahlias, Double Best Mixed</i> —All colors.....               | 10c            | the fancy Geranium.....   |     |
| <i>Dahlias, New Century</i> —All colors.....                     | 10c            | <i>Pansy, White Wings</i> —White with black eye.....                      |     |
| <i>Dahlias, Cactus-Flowered</i> —All colors.....                 | 10c            | <i>Pansy, Yellow Margined</i> —A beautiful color, with margin             |     |
| <i>Datura, or Horn of Plenty</i> —(Or Angel's Trumpet) mixed     | 5c             | or belt of yellow.....  |     |
| <i>Delphinium (Larkspur)</i> —Annual mixed.....                  | 5c             | Any six varieties of Pansies priced at 5 cents for.....                   | 25c |
| <i>Delphinium (Larkspur)</i> —Perennial mixed.....               | 5c             | <i>Pansies, Extra Fine Mixed</i> —All the preceding sixteen va-           |     |
| <i>Dianthus, or Hardy Japanese Pink</i> —All colors.....         | 5c             | rieties, mixed.....   |     |
| <i>Dictamnus Fraxinella</i> —(Gas Plant.) White flowers.....     | 5c             | <i>Petunia, Grandiflora</i> —The largest and best of all.....             | 15c |
| <i>Dolichos</i> —Hyacinth Bean, or Scarlet Runner.....           | 5c             | <i>Petunia, Large-Flowered, Mixed</i> .....                               | 5c  |

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| Petunia, Howard Star—Velvety crimson, with star.....    | 10c            | Spencer Sweet Pea, Zephyr—Light lavender.....              | 10c            |
| Perennial Phlox—Hardy; all colors; mixed.....           | 15c            | Sweet Pea, Apple Blossom—Bright rosy-pink and red....      | 5c             |
| Phlox Grandiflora—Mixed large-flowered; all colors..... | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Butterfly—White, edged lavender.....            | 5c             |
| Phlox Coccinea—Lovely scarlet Phlox.....                | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Blushing Beauty—A peach-blossom tint.....       | 5c             |
| Phlox Cuspidata, or Star of Quedlinburg—Odd.....        | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Black Knight—Deep maroon.....                   | 5c             |
| Phlox Golden Harvest—Richest yellow.....                | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Blanche Ferry—Extra early pink and white..      | 5c             |
| Phlox Snowdrift—Pure immaculate white.....              | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Captain of the Blues—Best blue to date.....     | 5c             |
| Phlox Pink Beauty—Large clear pink.....                 | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Coquette—Primrose-yellow, shaded lavender.....  | 5c             |
| Phlox Nana Compacta—Dwarf, all colors.....              | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Countess of Cadogan—Effect bright blue.....     | 5c             |
| Phlox Drummondii—Finest mixed.....                      | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Dorothy Eckford—Grandest pure white.....        | 5c             |
| Poppy, the Shirley—New; very popular.....               | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Dainty—White, with pink edges.....              | 5c             |
| Poppy, Snowdrift—Double; pure white.....                | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Firefly—Rich scarlet.....                       | 5c             |
| Poppy, Golden Gate—Lovely variegated colors.....        | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Gray Friar—Watered purple on white.....         | 5c             |
| Poppy, Firedragon—Deep scarlet.....                     | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Hon. Mrs. Kenyon—Best yellow to date.....       | 5c             |
| Poppy, Fairy Blush—Double; a delicate blush.....        | 10c            | Sweet Pea, Janet Scott—The best pink; magnificent.....     | 5c             |
| Poppy, Nudicaule, or Iceland Poppy—Yellow.....          | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Lady Grisel Hamilton—Best giant pink.....       | 5c             |
| Poppy, Extra Fine Mixed—All colors.....                 | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Lottie Hutchins—Cream ground, flaked.....       | 5c             |
| Poppy, Oriental—Hardy perennials; mammoth flowers....   | 10c            | Sweet Pea, Lovely—A beautiful shell-pink.....              | 5c             |
| Portulaca—(Rose Moss.) Double mixed; very bright....    | 10c            | Sweet Pea, Maid of Honor—White, edged lavender.....        | 5c             |
| Primula, or Chinese Primrose—Winter bloomer.....        | 15c            | Sweet Pea, Majestic—Deep pink, wing deep rose.....         | 5c             |
| Primula Obonica Grandiflora—Winter bloomer; mixed.....  | 10c            | Sweet Pea, Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain—White striped rose..... | 5c             |
| Primula Forbesii—(Baby Primrose.) Winter bloomer.....   | 15c            | Sweet Pea, Prince of Wales—Brightest rose.....             | 5c             |
| Primula Veris Grandiflora—(Cowslip.) Mixed colors..     | 10c            | Sweet Pea, Stella Morse—A true apricot shade.....          | 5c             |
| Primula Vulgaris—The true yellow Primrose.....          | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Salopian—The best dark red.....                 | 5c             |
| Pink Picotee, or Hardy Pink—All colors.....             | 15c            | Sweet Pea, White Wonder—Often 6 to 8 blooms on a stem      | 5c             |
| Pyrethrum—Feverfew, double white.....                   | 5c             | Sweet Pea, all the above named sorts, per ounce.....       | 10c            |
| Ricinus—(Castor Oil Plant.) Mixed.....                  | 5c             | Sweet Pea, Best Mixture, per pkt, 5 cents; per ounce....   | 10c            |
| Rudbeckia Bicolor Superba—Hardy perennial; elegant..... | 5c             | Thunbergia—(Black-Eyed Susan).....                         | 5c             |
| Salpiglossis—All colors, mixed.....                     | 5c             | Verbena, Odorata—Pure white.....                           | 10c            |
| Schizanthus—(Poor Man's Orchid.) Beautiful.....         | 5c             | Verbena, Fine Mixed—All colors.....                        | 5c             |
| Salvia Splendens—Scarlet Sage; deep scarlet.....        | 10c            | Verbena, New Mammoth-Flowering—All colors.....             | 10c            |
| Scabiosa, or Mourning Bride—All colors, mixed.....      | 5c             | Violet, Mixed—All colors.....                              | 10c            |
| Stokesia Cyanæa—(Cornflower Aster.) Hardy; elegant..    | 15c            | Vinca Alba Madagascar—(Periwinkle.) White.....             | 5c             |
| Smilax—An elegant house vine.....                       | 5c             | Vinca Rosea Madagascar—(Periwinkle.) Rose.....             | 5c             |
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| Sweet William—Double giant-flowered; mixed.....         | 5c             | Wild Flower Garden—Everything for a wild garden.....       | 5c             |
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| Spencer Sweet Pea, Emily Eckford—Mauve.....             | 10c            | Zinnia, Plenissima—Double; extra large.....                | 10c            |
| Spencer Sweet Pea, King Edward—Scarlet.....             | 10c            | Zinnia, Tom Thumb—Dwarf, all colors .....                  | 5c             |
| Spencer Sweet Pea, Mrs. Sankey—White.....               | 10c            |  |                |

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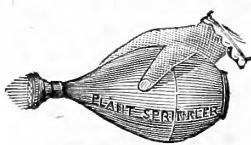
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